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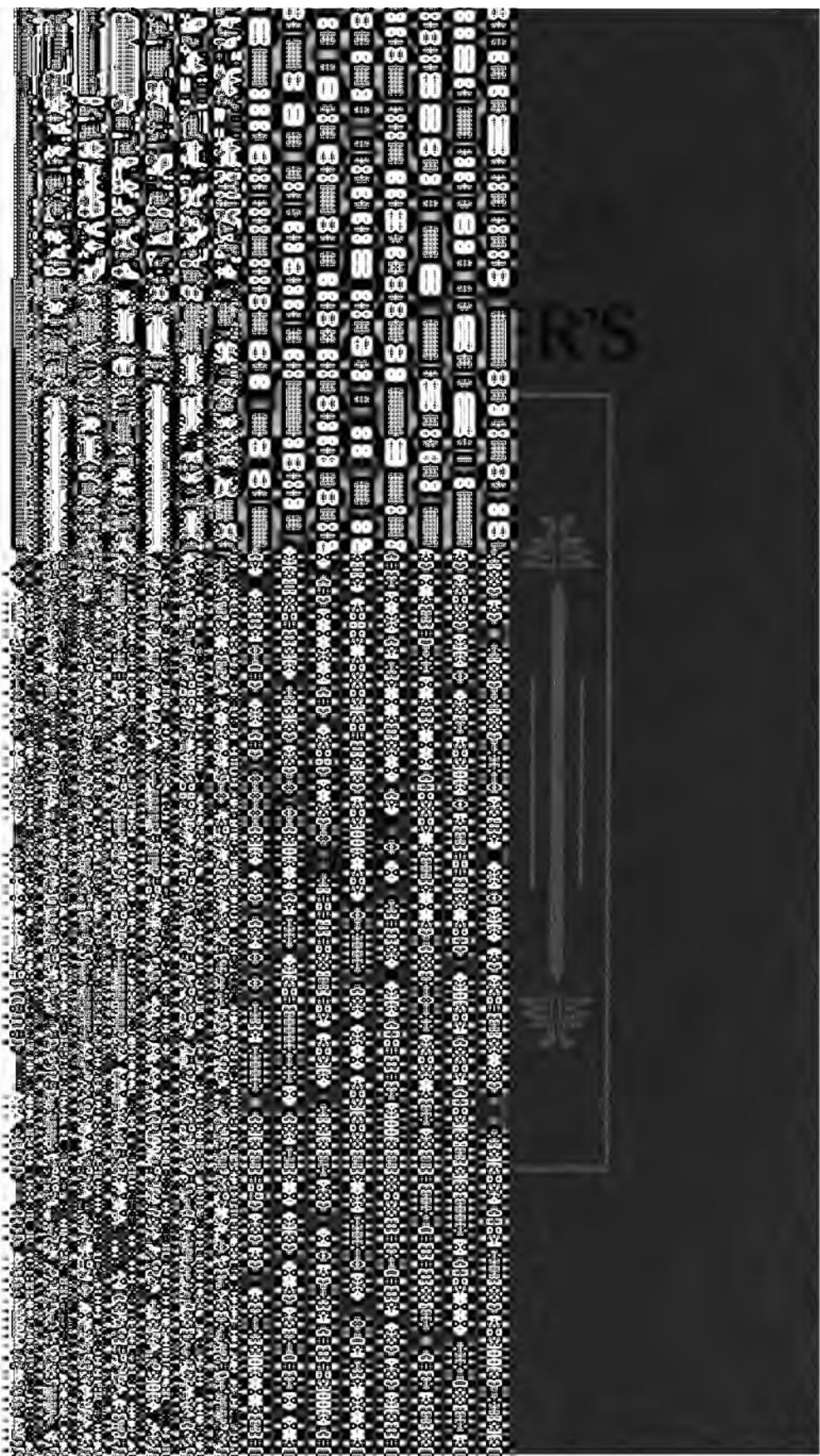
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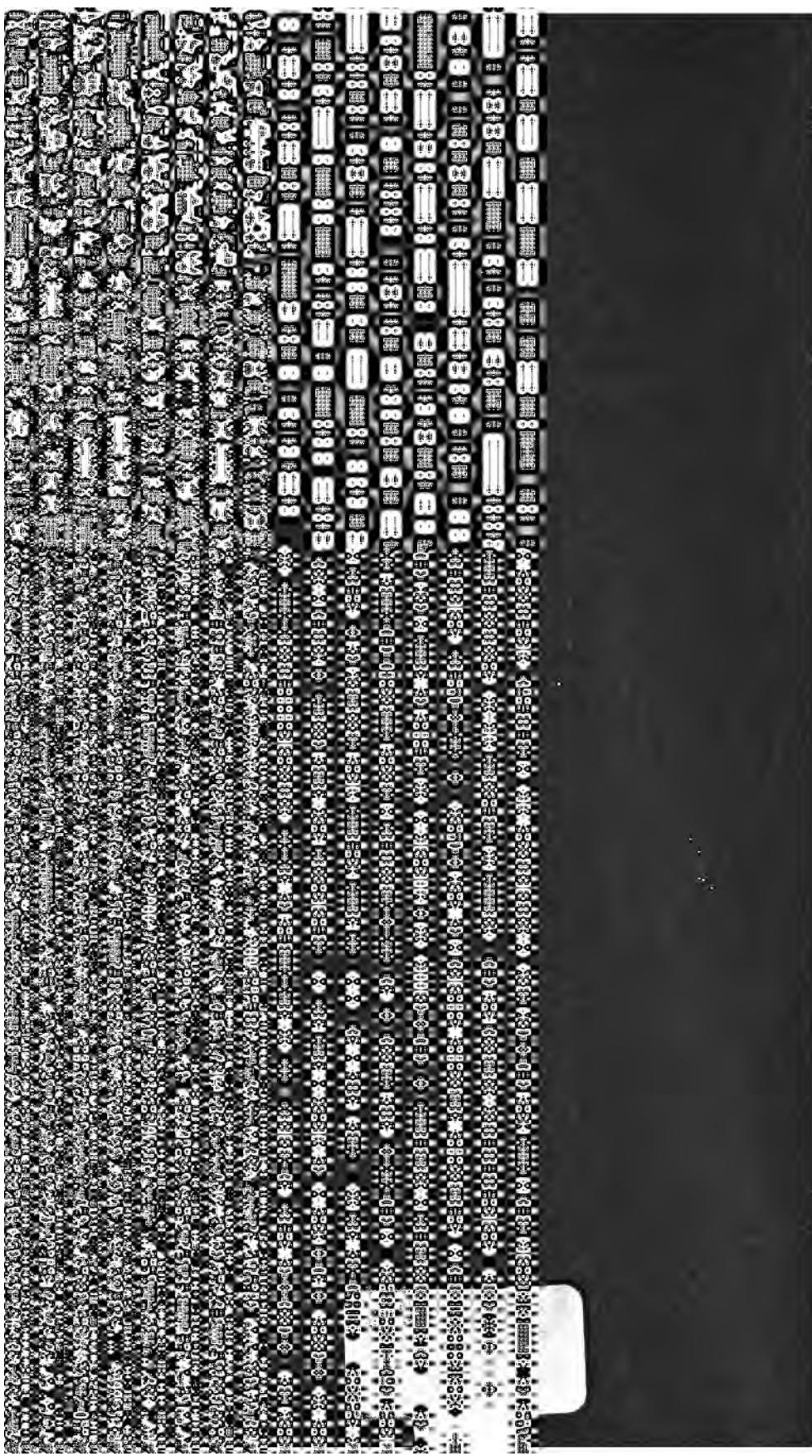
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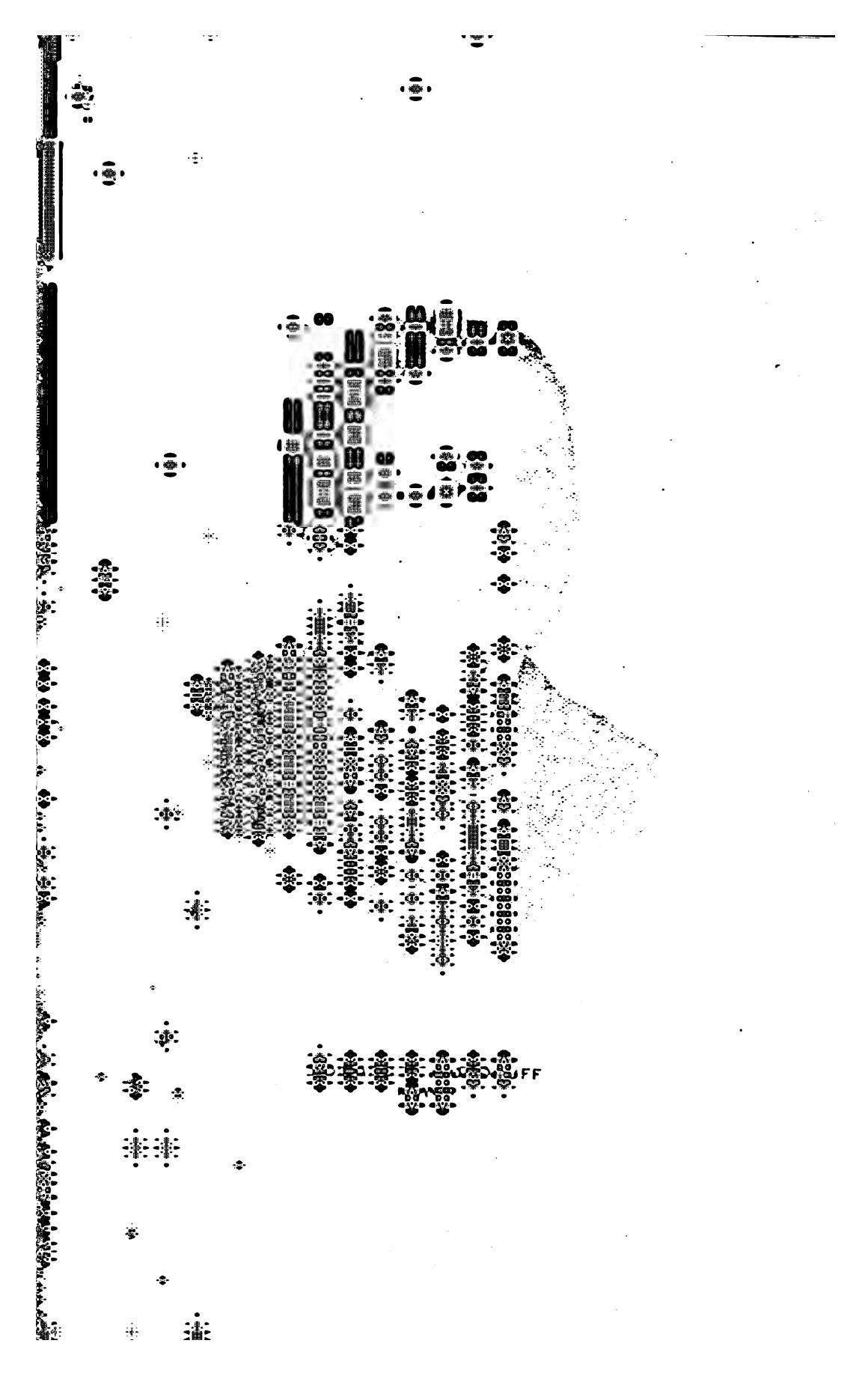
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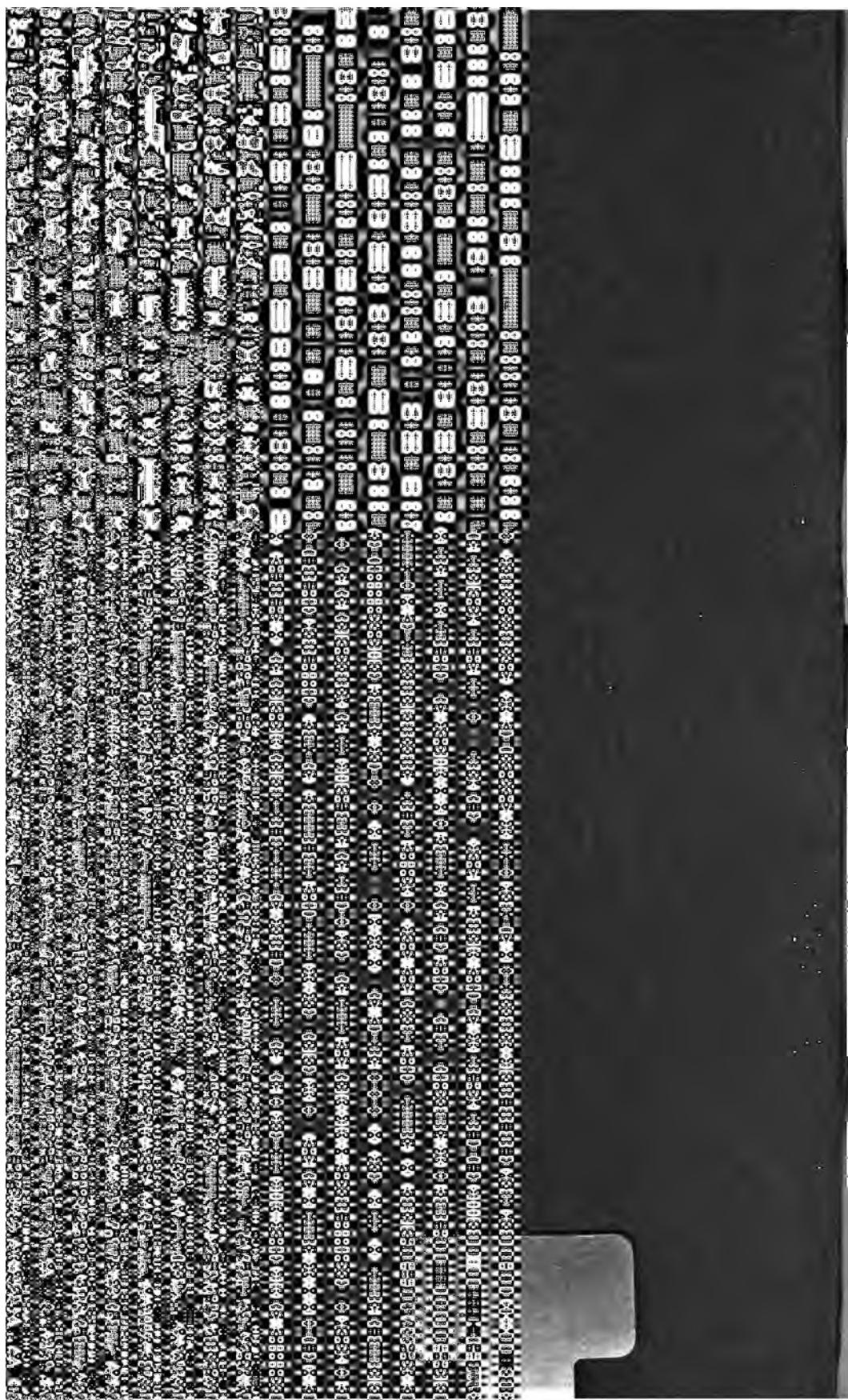
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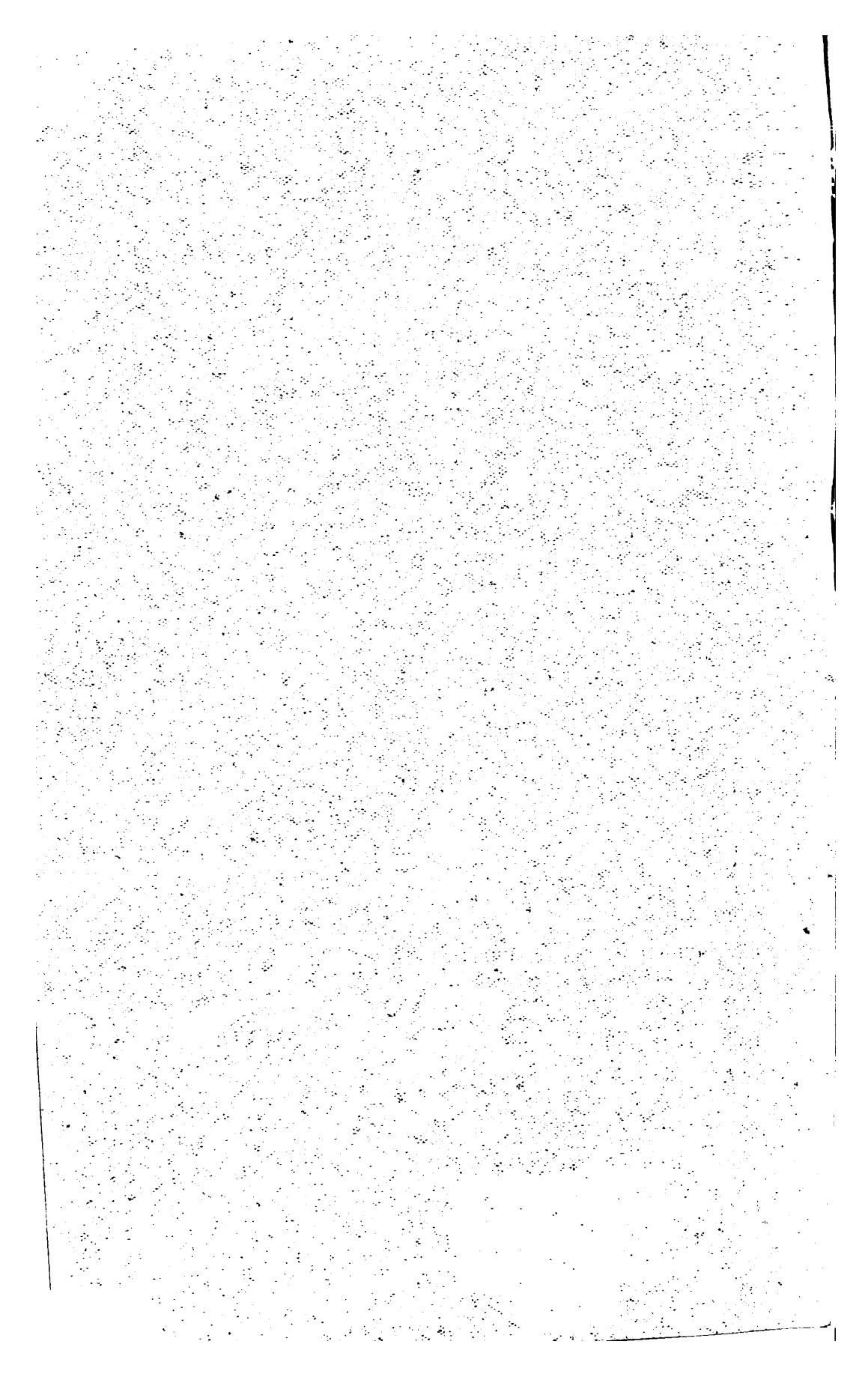




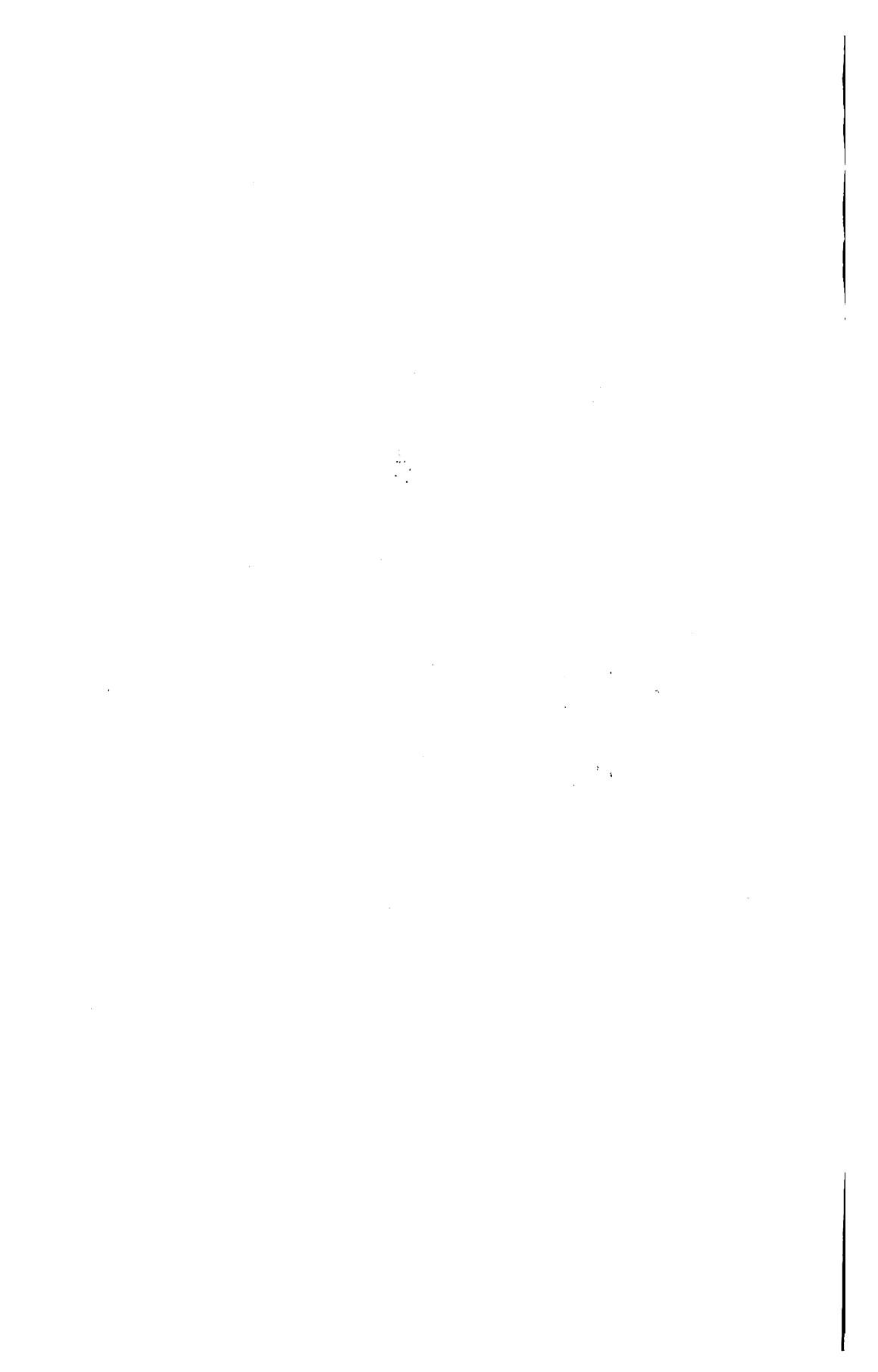












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Statement of the Finances

OF THE

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FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1904.

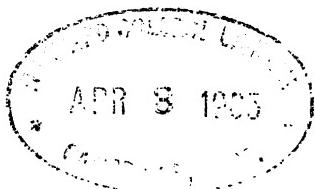
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REPORT

Council Assembled.

I have the honor to present the requirements of
the City of Peoria, for examination and
expenditures up to and including the financial condition of the
City of Peoria, December 31, 1904.

J. L. LWIN,
City Comptroller.

OFFICERS OF THE CITY OF PEORIA.

1904.

Mayor,	EDWARD N. WOODRUFF
Clerk,	ROBERT JOOS
Attorney,	WALTER H. KIRK
Treasurer,	WM. P. GAUSS
Comptroller,	WM. G. OLWIN
Commissioner of Public Works,	REUBEN W. SCHUCH
Assistant City Clerk,	A. E. EICHENBERGER
Assistant Comptroller,	CHAS. F. ALBERSSEN
Assistant Attorney,	WM. M. BARNES
Engineer,	H. E. BEASLEY
Engineer, First Assistant,	D. H. ROBERTS
Engineer, Second Assistant,	C M. DOLAN
Superintendent of Streets,	GEO. E. WILDE
Superintendent of Sewers,	SHERMAN W. ECKLEY
Superintendent of Special Assessments,	HENRY C. FULLER
Superintendent of Sidewalks,	B. C. NEWTON
Fire Marshal,	THOS. N. WORM
Assistant Fire Marshal,	E. J. SIPES
Health Commissioner,	DR. H. M. HAYES
Superintendent of Police,	WM. W. RHOADES
Captain of Police,	G. BREIMEIER
Electrician,	JOHN D. HALL
Superintendent of Buildings,	WALTER F. BENSON
Collector,	JOHN J. CROWDER
Milk Inspector,	A. V. WHITNEY
Boiler Inspector,	W. F. THOMAS
Registrar of Vital Statistics,	EDWARD RICHARDSON
Food Inspector,	BARNEY KLEUVER
Oil Inspector,	JOS. JEFFRIES
Plumbing Inspector,	EDWARD H. DONAHOE
Assistant Plumbing Inspector,	FRANK McLOUGHLIN, JR.
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	CHAS. FRANKEL
Harbor Master,	WM. YORK
Police and Fire Commissioners,	{ L K DEWEIN { R. V. ULRICH { JOS. STREIBICH { W. F. THOMAS { F. R. LEWIS
Board of Examining Engineers,	

ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF PEORIA.

1904.

First Ward—

Jacob E. Stilwell,
Marcus Whiting.

Second Ward—

Elisha B. Hazen,
David S. Long.

Third Ward—

John Scott,
Jacob J. Jobst.

Fourth Ward—

Geo. F. Simmons,
Warren Sutliff.

Fifth Ward—

John W. Fardon,
Andrew H. Thompson.

Sixth Ward—

Christian G. Follrath,
Peter Lulay.

Seventh Ward—

Thomas N. Gorman,
Charles N. Louis.

Eighth Ward—

John Newsam,
Louis Mueller.

Miscellaneous Receipts.

W. F. Benson, Building Inspector.....\$	2,061.00
J. D. Hall, City Electrician.....	762.25
Dr. H. M. Hayes, Health Commissioner.....	875.00
F. D. Fox, Police Magistrate.....	1,216.25
J. J. Jeffries, Oil Inspector.....	108.93
E. H. Donahoe, Plumbing Inspector.....	404.50
C. F. Bartson, Oil Inspector.....	72.65
W. F. Thomas, Boiler Inspector.....	108.00
C. Frankel, City Sealer.....	72.80
Board Examining Engineers.....	210.00
House of Correction.....	6,085.23
Rent House of Correction, Residence.....	88.00
R. W. Schuch, Commissioners of Public Wks.	754.98
W. H. Kirk, City Attorney.....	79.00
City Scales.....	1,657.05
Lena D. Barnard	1.00
Alderman L. Mueller.....	150.00
Old Hose.....	15.00
Butler, Pa.....	50.00
C. C. Street Ry.....	5,000.00
Upper Bridge Approach.....	2,000.00
Coliseum.....	307.97
Insurance Tax	6,156.25
Bills Payable.....	56,108.03 \$83,793.29
Total Receipts.....	\$517,869.92

EXPENDITURES.

Department of Public Works.....\$	90,478.88
Police Department	90,161.56
Fire Department	77,057.41
Fire Alarm Telegraph.....	4,510.31
Hydrant Rentals	36,175.72
Water Fund Interest.....	9,055.17
Railroad Fund Interest	4,908.60
Bounty Fund Interest.....	1,183.48
School Fund Interest.....	3,245.02
Health Department.....	17,226.60
Food Inspector	780.00
Plumbing Inspector.....	1,200.00
Building Inspector.....	1,500.00
City Officers' Salaries.....	13,800.00
Printing and Advertising.....	3,126.52

Electric Lights.....	43,786.39
General Fund Interest.....	12,417.43
Council Meetings.....	2,703.00
City Elections.....	2,889.85
Public Library	17,576.75
City Hall Expenses.....	11,604.26
Miscellaneous Expenses General Fund.....	17,270.46
New Bridge Fund.....	31,790.76
Fire Pension Fund, 25% Insurance Tax.....	1,539.06 <u>\$495,987.18</u>
Balance	<u>\$21,882.74</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts, General Fund.....	<u>\$517,869.92</u>
Contra.	
Expenditures.....	<u>\$ 495,987.18</u>
Cash on hand, 1st January, 1905.....	<u>\$29,140.64</u>
Less outstanding Scrip.....	7,257.90 21,882.74 <u>\$517,869.92</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT.**EXPENDITURES.****Hose Company No. 1.**

Pay Roll.....	\$3,180.00
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
Wilson Commission Co.....	\$ 221.74
P. A. Flanagan.....	80.07
Horace Clark & Son Co.....	43.05
J. T. Lynch.....	14.51 359.37
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Wm. Bittel.....	3.20
Chas. Johnson Hardware Co.....	1.00
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	3.83
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	82.15
D. D. Kellogg	6.00
R. Hughes	5.15
Dooley Bros.....	52.64
A. Santo & Co.....	8.15
Detweiller Ice Co.....	4.50
Electric Exchange.....	11.25
W. A. Neff.....	2.40
F. Dudley.....	14.75
C. Gentes & Son.....	.15
F. M. De Kroyft.....	4.36
Walker & Werner.....	332.10
Hunter & Strehlow.....	7.10
Klingel & Son.....	11.60
Woodruff Ice Co.....	8.65
Peoria Roofing Co.....	10.59
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	2.87
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	1.20
John Schneider & Co.....	3.05
Garside Manufacturing Co.....	1.00
P. A. Bergner & Co.....	1.00
W. S. Eichenberger.....	.15
D. G. Houlihan.....	27.92
Dr. C. D. Hartman.....	1.50
Phillips Bros.....	35.15
Wm. M. Allen.....	10.15

Peoria Paint & Glass Co.....	2.40
Rosenthal & Co.....	3.30
M. Gumbiner.....	4.50
Fred Fueger.....	6.60
Schleicher & Son.....	7.50
Day Carpet & Furniture Co.....	6.80 \$684.66
Total for Hose Company No. 1.....	\$4,224.03

Hose Company No. 2.

Pay Roll	\$3,295.70
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
H. Biehl & Son.....	42.85
Horace Clark & Son.....	25.10
E. G. Rockhold.....	64.55
S. L. Patterson & Co.	10.00
Wilson Com. Co.....	890.69 472.69
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
W. A. Neff	19.50
J. Wolgamot	9.05
Chas. Johnson Hdw. Co.....	1.43
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	3.63
F. Wiedinger.....	4.35
Dooley Bros.....	52.05
Brass Foundry & H. Co.....	32.25
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	9.27
Combination Ladder Co.	20.00
Wm. Bittel.....	5.25
H. N. Frederick & Sons.....	5.00
C. Klingel and Son.....	3.30
Electric Exchange.....	4.50
F. Lueder.....	1.30
Sutliff & Case Co.....	.85
H. J. Ehlen.....	1.25
John Schneider & Co.....	.75
Henry Yeager.....	3.00
Garside Mfg. Co.....	1.00
A. Lucas & Son....	1.35
C. E. Barnhart .....	.65
Dr. C. D. Hartman.....	6.50
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	.56
F. C. Carroll.....	5.10
Merkle & Co.....	10.00
J. C. May	8.35

R. Hughes	4.95
F. Dudley.....	17.25
F. M. DeKroyft.....	5.25
Pfeiffer Crockery Co.....	1.50
Electric Exchange.....	4.27
A. Santo & Co.....	8.55
Peoria Roofing Co.....	7.25
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	2.55
Wm. Bittel.....	1.70
Horace Clark & Sons.....	5.40
J. D. Proctor Lumber Co.....	2.17
J. Schneider & Co.....	10.25
H. N. Frederick & Son.....	12.70
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	1.70
Woodruff Ice Co.....	7.00
C. Klingel & Son.....	2.55
Hecht Bros.....	28.54
L. Lang.....	11.65 \$215.67
Total for Hose Company No. 5.....	\$3,600.24

Hose Company No. 6.

Pay Roll	\$3,180.00
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
A. Schmidtgall	\$ 37.50
Horace Clark & Son.....	43.10
Wilson Commission Co.....	295.65
Peoria Commission Co.....	15.20 891.45
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Chas. Johnson Hardware Co.....	17.54
Karl Ehrlein .....	.55
W. A. Neff.....	9.30
Fred Feuger.....	.25
F. Dudley.....	8.50
Dooley Bros.....	67.49
Leo. Feuger.....	1.15
Schipper & Block	37.75
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	4.10
Hecht Bros.....	5.50
Woodruff Ice Co	15.65
L. Lang.....	9.70
G. W. Smith & Son .....	.25
Peoria Fuel Company	1.20
A. Zimmerman.....	6.15
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	2.00

J. Wolgamot	4.50
Hunter & Strehlow.....	13.30
C. E. Stapp.....	1.50
C. Klingel & Son.....	11.40
E. J. Darst & Son.....	13.29
J. Schneider & Co.....	6.75
D. J. Houlihan	29.40
J. Hecht	1.20
F. Wiedinger.....	2.25 269.67
Total for Hose Company No. 6.....	\$3,841.12

Hose Company No. 7.

Pay Roll.....	\$3,180.00
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
Jas. Whelan.....	46.40
Wilson Commission Co.....	140.79
Horace Clark & Son Co.....	3.85
J. T. Lynch.....	3.30 \$194.34
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Dooley Bros.....	51.78
D. D. Kellogg	6.00
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	5.50
Electric Exchange.....	5.10
W. A. Neff.....	.95
F. Dudley.....	8.25
Wm. Bittel.....	4.60
S. L. Patterson & Co.....	20.00
Woodruff Ice Co.....	15.65
H. L. Zeigler.....	.70
J. C. Procter Lumber Co.....	4.00
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	4.25
C. Klingel & Son.....	1.65
J. Schneider & Co.....	1.30
F. Lueder.....	.90
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	.30
Comstock-Avery Furniture Co.....	56.54
Hecht Bros.....	1.00
C. E. Stapp.....	4.00
I. N. Martin.....	7.90
J. C. Woelfle.....	1.00 201.87
Total for Hose Company No 7.....	\$3,575.71

Hose Company No. 8.

Pay Roll	\$3,180.00
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
Wilson Com. Co.....	\$ 298.75
H. A. Goddard.....	9.40
A. Schmidtgall.....	28.40
E. A. Furry.....	3.60
L. Fueger.....	.10
Horace Clark.....	16.40
	356.65
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Dooley Bros.....	130.83
F. Meyer & Brother Co.....	7.65
C. Klingel & Son.....	8.00
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	8.00
Wm. Bittel.....	9.49
Central Electric Co.....	.90
C. E. Barnhart.....	.60
J. Wolgamot.....	.90
W. A. Neff.....	8.85
Lucas & Son.....	4.65
Geo. J. Rothan.....	13.98
Garside Mfg. Co.....	14.00
Peoria Fuel Co.....	.70
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	5.60
Chas. Johnson Hdw. Co.....	.60
F. Fueger.....	54.40
L. Lang.....	23.00
G. W. Smith & Son.....	1.00
J. Schneider & Co.....	1.00
J. A. Whelan & Co.....	29.32
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	1.38
Woodruff Ice Co.....	7.00
D. J. Houlihan.....	21.30
Thomas & Hodson.....	9.20
H. Osborn.....	10.00
	\$361.75
Total for Hose Company No. 8.	\$3,898.40

Chemical No. 1.

Pay Roll	\$2,397.85
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
Wilson Commission Co.....	\$ 222.63
P. A. Flannagan.....	.50

F. C. Edwards.....	57.05
J. T. Lynch.....	5.10
Horace Clark & Sons Co.....	35.19
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Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Dooley Bros.....	49.74
Walker & Werner.....	15.00
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	5.26
A. Santo & Co.....	8.15
Detweiller Ice Co.....	4.50
R. Hughes.....	4.70
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	82.45
F. Dudley.....	10.40
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	30.98
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	.90
International Fire Engine Co.....	18.00
Proctor Lumber Co.....	2.00
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	1.20
Peoria Roofing Co.....	11.00
Am. La. France Co.....	23.00
Wm. Bittel.....	3.55
J. Wolgamott.....	1.75
C. Klingel & Son.....	6.15
H. N. Frederick & Son.....	1.00
Phillips Bros.....	35.20
J. Schneider & Son.....	6.25
Garside Manufacturing Co.....	1.00
Schipper & Block.....	12.75
F. Fueger.....	6.60
P. A. Bergner & Co.....	3.58
Hunter & Strehlow.....	6.70
W. M. Allen.....	10.15
Peoria Paint & Glass Co.....	2.45
Rosenthal & Co.....	3.35
C. Gentes & Son.....	198.00
Electric Exchange.....	6.25
F. Wiedinger.....	4.35
Day Carpet & Furniture Co.....	6.80
D. J. Houlihan.....	16.75
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Total for Chemical No. 1.	\$3,318.23

Combination No. 1.

Pay Roll	\$3,180.00
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Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
Horace Clark & Son.....	19.21

Jos. W. Mettam.....	59.95
Wilson Commission Co.....	300.09
S. L. Patterson	20.00
893.25	
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Wm. Hupe.....	3.65
Karl Ehrlein.....	6.50
Dooley Bros.....	59.99
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	5.40
Electric Exchange	4.89
Staebler & Fagon.....	1.50
T. B. Wolland.....	1.10
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	7.50
W. A. Neff.....	8.50
Leo Fueger.....	1.20
A. Zimmerman.....	6.15
Woodruff Ice Co	15.65
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	4.80
Chas. Johnson Hardware Co.. .	9.41
F. Dudley.....	3.00
Troy Laundry.....	2.50
Peoria Roofing Co.....	29.15
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	.90
E. H. Flaglore.....	16.40
E. J. Darst & Son.....	22.85
Dr. C. D. Hartman ..	1.50
L. Lang	3.75
F. Fueger.....	73.12
288.91	
Total for Combination No. 1.....	
	\$3,862.16

Combination No. 2.

Pay Roll.....	\$3,145.20
Feed, Bedding and Shoeling—	
C. Wellbrock.....	\$ 33.80
J. T. Lynch	1.00
Wilson Com. Co.....	162.27
Horace Clark & Son.....	1.00
P. A. Flanagan.....	5.00
J. J. Flanagan	4.50
	207.57
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Wm. Bittel.....	5.15
Dooley Bros.....	65.54
F. Dudley.....	11.55
C. A. Meyer.....	1.20

Woodruff Ice Co.....	15.65
J. Wolgamot.....	1.50
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	3.45
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	7.12
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	2.90
J. H. Holderness	164.48
Chas. Johnson Hdw. Co.....	.15
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	1.78
J. C. Armstrong.....	8.45
C. Klingel & Son.....	2.50
Garside Mfg. Co.....	1.15
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	12.24
J. Frye.....	15.55
J. Schneider & Co.....	.65
Electric Exchange.....	1.43
P. A. Bergner.....	18.00
Dr. C. D. Hartman.....	1.50
Curtin Bros.....	5.00
Peoria Roofing Co.....	24.00
	\$865.94
Total for Combination No. 2.....	\$3,718.71

Hook and Ladder No. 1

Pay Roll	\$3,179.65
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
H. Biehl & Son.....	62.30
S. L. Patterson	9.18
Wilson Commission Co.....	380.70
Horace Clark & Sons Co.	18.20 420.38
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Dooley Bros.....	51.91
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	26.60
W. A. Neff.....	9.45
Central Electric Co.....	.55
J. Wolgamot	4.50
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	7.75
F. M. DeKroyft	2.50
John Schneider & Co.....	5.55
Comstock-Avery Furniture Co.....	2.50
Wm. Bittel.....	7.00
Kinsey & Mahler Co	1.29
Electric Exchange	2.25
C. Klingel & Son	3.35
T. P. & W. Ry	29.00

F. Lueder	1.95
Garside Mfg. Co.....	1.00
H. J. Ehlen.....	1.90
Chas. Johnson Hardware Co.....	.60
A. Lucas & Sons	1.40
H. N. Frederick .....	.50
D. J. Houlihan.....	16.68
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	8.75
F. C. Carroll.....	5.10
J. C. May.....	8.35
Hecht Bros	10.35
L. Lang	1.25 206.88
Total for Hook and Ladder No. 1	\$3,806.41

Hook and Ladder No. 2.

Pay Roll	\$3,180.00
Wilson Commission Co.....	\$ 273.78
P. Hotze..	18.55
J. T. Lynch.....	7.35
Horace Clark & Son Co.....	44.70
S. A. Robison.....	37.10
P. A. Flanagan	1.00 382.48

Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—

Walker & Werner.....	76.25
Wm. Bittel.....	3.75
Dooley Bros.....	49.05
A. Santo.....	8.15
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	1.30
Detweiller Ice Co.....	4.50
J. Schneider & Co.....	8.25
F. Dudley.....	14.00
R. Hughes	4.65
Peoria Roofing Co.....	11.00
Proctor Lumber Co.....	2.00
W. A. Neff .....	.65
Clark & Co.....	3.50
J. Wolgamott.....	1.75
C. Klingel & Son.....	6.10
F. Fueger.....	6.55
H. R. Van Eps.....	5.00
Comstock-Avery Furniture Co.....	7.00
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	2.69
Martens, Robison & Co.....	.80

Garside Mfg. Co.	1.00
F. M. De Kroyft	5.46
Hunter & Strehlow	6.70
Phillips Bros.	35.20
Wm. M. Allen	10.15
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.	78.20
D. J. Houlihan	11.35
Peoria Paint & Glass Co.	2.40
Rosenthal & Co.	3.35
Electric Exchange	2.72
F. Wiedinger	4.35
Day Carpet & Furniture Co.	6.85
	384.67
Total	\$3,947.15

Hook and Ladder No. 3.

Pay Roll..... \$2,650.00

Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—

W. P. Whelan	2.50
Wilson Com. Co.	147.82
Flanagan & Son	3.00
S. A. Robison	6.50
H. B. Biehl & Son	42.25
Horace Clark & Sons Co.	8.70
Peoria Com. Co.	8.20
H. A. Goddard	10.00
	228.97

Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—

Dooley Bros.	20.47
C. B. & Q. Ry.	21.50
Standard Oil Co.	.60
J. Wolgamot	8.90
J. Schneider & Co.	10.40
Karl Ehrlein	1.50
Marks Gumbiner	8.14
Woodruff Ice Co.	15.65
International Fire Eng. Co.	10.00
Brass Foundry and Heating Co.	7.50
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.	6.95
C. Klingel & Son	2.30
C. E. Barnhart	3.40
Kinsey & Mahler Co.	4.63
Am. La. France Co.	10.00
E. H. Flaglore	5.30
Chas. Johnson Hdw. Co	3.95

Wm. Bittel.....	3.00
L. Lang.....	9.10
Electric Exchange.....	7.49
E. J. Darst & Sons.....	8.25
Hecht Bros.....	5.78
D. J. Houlihan.....	11.10
Total	<u>\$180.91</u> \$3,059.88

Steamer No. 1.

Pay Roll.....	\$2,520.00
Feed, Bedding and Shoeing—	
P. A. Flanagan	\$ 42.50
Wilson Commission Co.....	164.19
J. T. Lynch.....	2.20
Horace Clark & Sons Co.....	3.85 212.74
Fuel, Gas, Repairs, etc.—	
Doooley Bros.....	45.23
Fisher Bros.....	.75
W. A. Neff.....	1.00
Wm. Bittel.....	5.58
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	4.74
Woodruff Ice Co.....	15.65
A. Lucas & Son.....	.45
H. L. Ziegler.....	.75
Electric Exchange.....	2.07
F. L. Lauder	1.00
Walker & Werner.....	15.00
Garside Mfg Co.....	1.10
H. R. Van Eps	5.00
C. Klingel & Son.....	1.55
Clark & Co.....	4.30
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	2.05
Comstock-Avery Furniture Co.....	56.54
Schipper & Block.....	4.00
C. E. Stapp.....	4.00
I. N. Martin.....	7.85
J. S. Schneider & Co.....	1.75 180.31 \$2,913.05
Total for Steamer No. 1.....	

Chief and Assistant.

Thomas N. Worm.....	\$1,500.00
E. J. Sipes.....	<u>1,200.00</u>
Total for Chief and Assistant.....	\$2,700.00

Relief Men.

Pay Roll	\$8,643.95
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Volunteer Company No. 4.

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
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Volunteer Company No. 1.

Appropriation	\$ 400.00
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Volunteer Company No. 2.

Appropriation	\$ 400.00
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New Hose.

Chicago Fire Hose Co.	\$450.00
Eureka Fire Hose Co.....	675.00
New York Belting & Pck. Co.....	348.24
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	225.00
Boston Woven Hose Co	800.00
	<u>\$2,498.24</u>

Purchasing Horses.

Horses bought.....	\$ 750.00
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Miscellaneous Expenses of Fire Department.

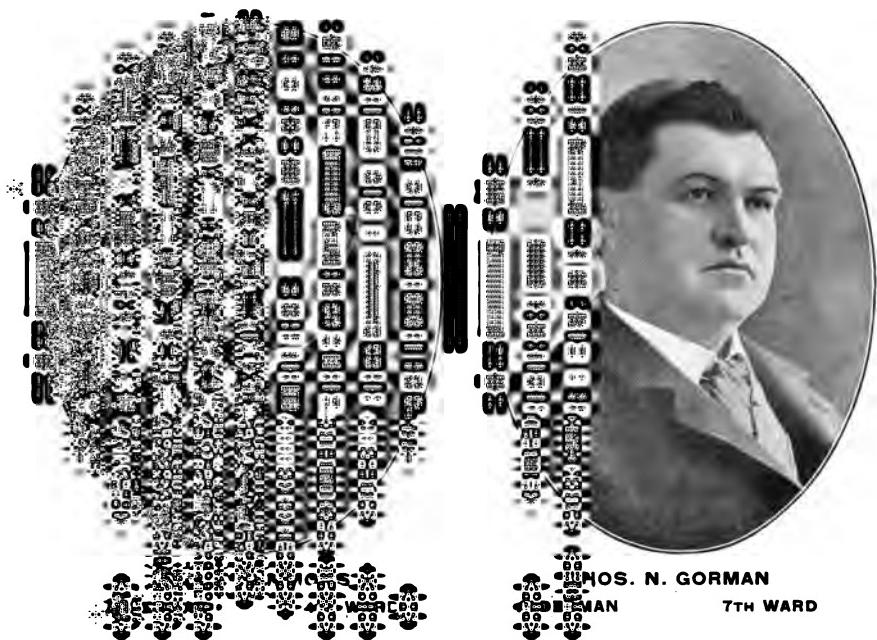
Walker & Werner.....	\$ 24.40
H. Biehl & Son.....	38.35
T. P. & W. Ry.....	7.40
Central Union Telephone Co.....	4.50
Hale Harness Co.....	3.00
Combination Ladder Co.....	50.00
H. N. Frederick & Son.....	107.10
Wilson Grocery Co.....	15.85
A. L. Corcoran.....	13.00
House of Correction.....	46.50
L. A. Hanschett.....	18.50
Kellerstrass & Hierspiel	3.50
Hecht Bros.....	8.50
Central Plating Co.....	1.59
Liberty Fire Ex. Co.....	31.00

W. P. Whelen	11.50
Dooley Bros.....	96.93
Greiner Stamp Wks.....	2.00
L. M. Hines.....	6.00
Jas. Whelen.....	97.75
Pfeiffer Crockery Co.....	8.00
R. Hughes.....	4.65
Western Hose Feed Co.....	26.50
Mexican Amole Soap Co.....	59.60
Jas. Smith.....	2.25
A. Santo & Co.....	73.24
Zerwekh & Bro.....	1.00
C. Reeser.....	39.55
Jacquin & Co.....	11.71
Merkle & Co.....	18.60
Stabler & Fagen.....	39.90
J. C. Streibich.....	23.45
P. A. Flanagan.....	42.35
New York Belting Co.....	10.50
R. A. DuMars.....	16.50
J. Wolgamott.....	6.80
Standard Oil Co.....	12.01
Comstock-Avery & Co.....	3.00
Sutliff & Case Co.....	34.24
Horace Clark & Sons.....	3.00
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	30.63
R. F. Page	11.00
Wm. Bittel.....	2.40
H. A. Goddard.....	2.75
Barker & Wheeler Co.....	56.10
Peoria Livery Co.....	50.00
Cash Advanced	106.85
C. F. Vail & Co.....	5.17
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	1.50
G. W. Smith & Son.....	321.55
T. N. Worm.....	127.48
L. Lang.....	34.25
Thede Bros.....	17.60
J. E. Winkelmyer.....	1.10
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	18.72
Wm. Harms.....	11.20
Peoria Veterinary Co.....	300.00
J. Schneider & Co.....	1.35
Chas. Johnson Hdw. Co.....	18.45
D. H. Tripp & Son	24.00

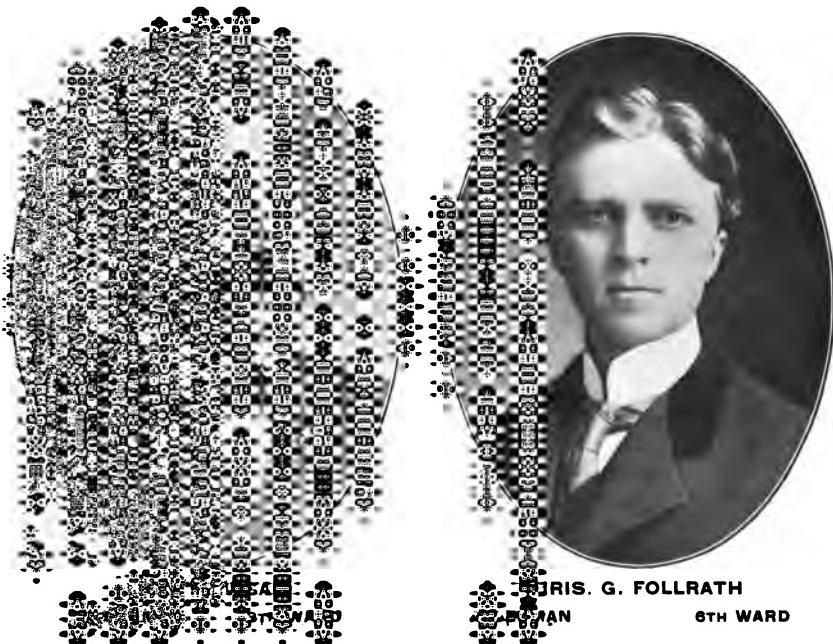
A. Schmidtgall.....	1.50
F. M. DeKroyft.....	32.04
Fred Bowman.....	29.80
Peoria Band.....	51.65
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	10.15
A. J. Danner	16.50
Labor, Corning's Fire.....	54.50
E. F. Parker.....	21.50
Central Electric Co.....	57.81
J. C. Murray.....	1.50
Spencer's Band.....	58.80
J. M. Hartwig.....	45.15
P. Leutherer.....	61.00
J. Frye.....	27.20
Chicago Fire Apparatus.....	8.00
W. Heller & Co.....	40.00
Dr. Whiting	19.00
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	11.87
E. A. Osenbeck.....	4.75
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	47.50
Dr. C. D. Hartman.....	3.00
Louisa Mueller.....	5.75
M. Gumbiner.....	32.88
Dr. Horwitz.....	17.00
A La France Co.....	2,118.50
E. J. Darst & Co.....	23.14
I. N. Martin.....	6.00
C. C. Hecht	4.70
W. H. Horstman.....	37.50
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	82.25
J. W. Mettam.....	2.00
E. Gauss.....	1.00
H. W. Reynolds.....	2.05
S. R. Pay.....	16.00
Sam Levison.....	38.75
Dr. Whitten.....	5.00
Fire and Water Journal.....	3.00
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Total Miscellaneous Expense Fire Dept.....	\$ 5,154.06
Total for Fire Department.....	<hr/> \$77,057.41

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

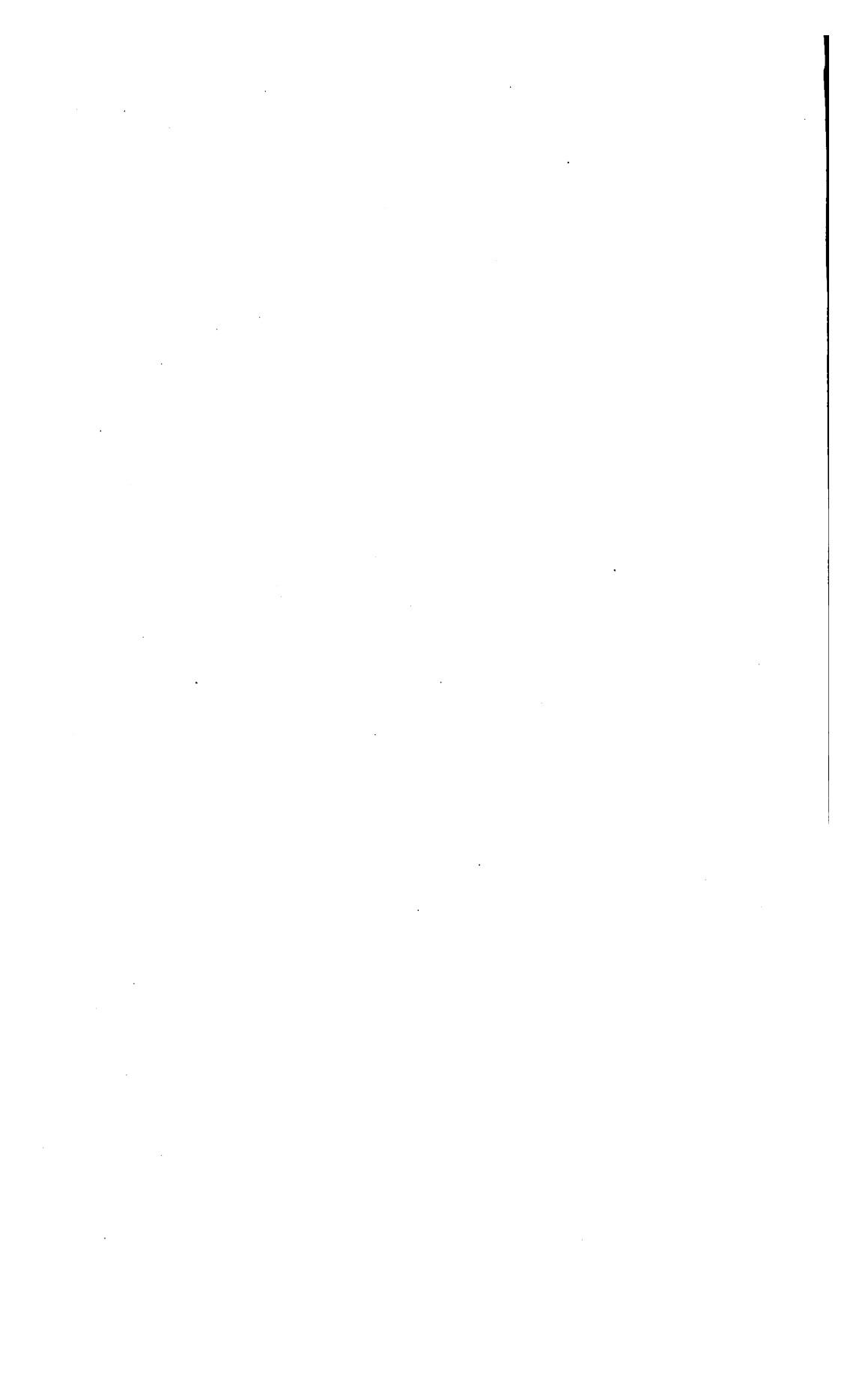
Pay Roll.....		\$2,802.80
Rehkus Bros.....	\$ 14.65	
C. E. Stapp.....	8.35	
F. C. Edwards.....	15.50	
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co.....	808.40	
C. Gentes & Son	8.15	
Cash Advanced.....	2.00	
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	12.18	
F. C. Stover.....	175.50	
J. D. Hall.....	159.54	
Dr. John Scott.....	6.00	
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	28.15	
Jacquin & Co.....	38.50	
Electric Exchange.....	60.64	
Balzer & Reeves	18.68	
Hunter & Strehlow.....	5.22	
Peoria Livery Co.....	23.25	
Oltman & Schmidt.....	2.75	
Central Electric Co.....	184.73	
Thede Bros	2.91	
Todhunter & Alfs	13.40	
J. Schneider & Co	2.10	
Staebler & Fagen.....	81.50	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co	6.50	
Colburn Birks & Co.....	25.66	
H. Biehl & Son.....	2.50	
O. J. Schimpff.....	4.50	
McQuellon & Shori.....	1.20	
Peoria Paint & Glass Co	1.55	
J. T. Knupp.....	2.50	
Feger Electric Co.....	8.00	1,707.51
Total for Fire Alarm Telegraph.....		\$4,510.31



THOMAS N. GORMAN
MAN 7TH WARD



FRANCIS G. FOLLRATH
MAN 6TH WARD



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Miscellaneous Street Work.

Pay Roll	\$12,469.80
B. C. Newton.....	1.00
Total for Miscellaneous Street Work.....	\$12,470.80

Repairing Paved Streets.

Pay Roll.....	\$ 1,772.90
Purington Paving Brick	222.80
C. B. & Q. Ry.....	86.85
H. Lyons.....	.70
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	3.00
Jacquin & Co.....	2.95
Peoria Fuel Co.....	98.85
W. H. Wilson.....	76.00
P. & P. U. Ry.....	1.50
T. J. Wasson.....	114.01
Gibbons Bros.....	45.00
A. W. Moffat.....	20.00
A. D. Thompson.....	66.25
F. Olander.....	41.50
Western Brick Co.....	48.65 778.06
Total for repairing paved streets.....	\$2,550.96

Cleaning Streets.

Pay Roll.....	\$15,892.50
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Bridges and Culverts.

Jos. Miller & Sons.....	\$51.25
H. W. Reynolds.....	50.68
Total for Bridges and Culverts	\$ 101.93

Gutters and Drains.

Pay Roll	\$ 511.95
H. Whitfield	\$ 89.10
W. F. Sauer.....	.50

T. J. Wasson	186.05
H. Lyons.....	.70
Wahlfeld Mfg. Co.....	5.50
H. W. Wilson.....	32.50
F. Hoepner	32.20
Otto Seeger.....	138.80
Hunter & Strehlow	7.05
Crescent Stone Co.....	5.00 497.40
Total for Gutters and Drains	\$1,009.85

Lower Free Bridge.

Pay Roll.....	\$3,705.60
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	514.52
Chas. Haefle	19.50
Dooley Bros.....	21.82
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	1.95
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	1,026.36
Smith & Carpenter.....	18.07
O'Rorke & Co.....	14.42
Repairs	1,323.95
C. H. Deneen	410.00
G. R. Dunbar	37.50
Schultz Bros.....	541.23
C. R. Gibson.	2.50
C. E. Stapp.....	12.20
T. V. Edwards.....	32.90
E. Peoria Lumber Co.....	488.24
M. Pfeiffer & Co.....	9.80
H. S. Hancock.....	1.00
Palace Livery Co.....	3.00
Hunter & Strehlow.....	40.55
Ill. Central Ry.....	284.12
G. F. Osborn....	60.00
Peoria Fuel Co.....	1.60
Callender & Co.....	25.00
Cummings & Hatfield.....	25.00
Thos. Buckley.....	32.50
Couch & Heyle.....	65.58
H. W. Reynolds.....	131.92
J. W. Keys.....	7.50 \$5,102.18
Total for Lower Free Bridge.....	\$8,807.78

Upper Free Bridge.

Pay Roll	\$1,926.33
Highway Commissioners.....	\$ 833.92
Wm. Bittel.....	30.75
Repairs	9.60
Total for Upper Free Bridge.....	\$2,800.00

Boundary Roads.

Highway Commissioners.....	\$4,000.00
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Engineer and Assistants.

Pay Roll	\$8,516.90
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Miscellaneous Expenses Engineer's Department.

H. N. Frederick & Son	\$ 18.50
Harry Bates.....	33.56
Central Union Telephone Co.....	5.20
Jacquin & Co.....	317.35
Walker & Werner .....	.55
J. C. Armstrong.....	8.40
F. C. Edwards	51.75
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	14.00
Peoria Paint & Glass Co	6.00
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	105.00
Palace Livery Co.....	452.00
Greiner Stamp Works.....	.20
Keuffel & Esser.....	55.99
E. Dietzen	36.00
Wagner Typewriter Co.....	3.25
M. M. Krenz	1.50
D. H. Tripp & Son.....	13.55
Stafford Stamp Works.....	8.81
Express.....	9.20
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	39.00
Peoria Vet. Co.	19.50
C. Wellbrock	7.25
A. S. Aloe & Co	11.50
Sutliff & Case Co.....	11.35
J. Schneider & Co.....	11.15
J. W. Franks & Sons.....	6.00

B. F. Adams	85.00
M. Pfeiffer & Co.....	.75
G. W. Smith & Son.....	.75
Wm. Bittel.....	.45
	<u>1,315.51</u>
Total for Engineers and Assistants.....	\$9,832.41

Crossings.

Pay Roll.....	\$1,198.95
E. J. Darst	\$ 566.91
Jos. Miller & Sons	129.07
T. J. Wasson.....	21.00
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	81.12
Hunter & Strehlow.....	7.66
H. W. Reynolds.....	310.83
Cutright & Russell.....	58.40
	<u>\$1,174.99</u>
Total for Crossings.....	\$2,373.94

Cleaning Crossings.

Pay Roll.....	\$ 157.40
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Sidewalks.

B. C. Newton.....	\$ 900.00
Thos. Bulger.....	\$ 4.80
G. Moritz	41.85
	<u>46.65</u>
Total for Sidewalks.....	\$ 946.65

Curbing.

Otto Seeger.....	\$ 381.36
A. W. Moffatt.....	1,152.97
F. Hoepner	1,516.79
Peoria Star Co.....	15.75
L. E. & W. Ry.....	1,174.89
Herald-Transcript.....	9.00
L. Ph. Wolf.....	9.00
Cleveland Stone Co.....	1,588.86
M. E. Case.....	21.50
T. J. Wasson.....	14.73
	<u>\$5,879.25</u>
Total for Curbing.....	

Commissioner of Public Works and Clerk.

R. W. Schuch	\$2,000.00
Peter Werner	<u>900.00</u>
Total for Com. of Public Works and Clerk ...	\$2,900.00

Superintendent of Streets.

George E. Wilde.....	\$1,200.00
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Superintendent of Special Assessments.

H. C. Fuller.....	\$1,000.00
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Superintendent of Sewers.

S. W. Eckley.....	\$1,200.00
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Levee and Dock.

W. T. York.....	\$100.00
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North Peoria Hall.

C. Kimmel	\$ 50.00
H. Osborn.....	14.40
J. W. Keys.....	80.00
J. Gerton.....	<u>2.50</u>
Total for North Peoria Hall.....	\$146.90

South Peoria Hall.

J. W. Keys.....	\$ 60.00
F. Meyer & Bro. Co	<u>40.16</u>
Total for South Peoria Hall.....	\$100.16

City Scales.

H. G. Voight.....	\$ 192.74
F. Meyer & Bro. Co .....	.60
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	107.46
Greiner Stamp Works.....	21.00
C. Frankel.....	5.50
J. V. Allen.....	.60
Total for City Scales.....	\$ 327.90

Public Wells and Drinking Fountains.

C. W. Brisbin.....	\$ 40.25
Labor.....	38.40
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	404.68
C. Klingel & Son.....	321.80
Peoria Water Works.....	311.53
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	81.65
Wm. Bittel.....	12.55
Wahlfeld Mfg. Co	29.50
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	2.31
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	.55
Total for Public Wells and Drinking Fountains	\$1,243.22

Public Squares.

Pay Roll.....	\$1,364.80
Hunter & Strehlow	\$ 18.52
B. F. Adams.....	.68
Balzer & Reeves.....	65.70
Todhunter & Alfs.....	5.40
J. W. Keys.....	25.00
J. Schneider & Co.....	3.55
Cole Bros.....	155.87
Whittemore & Son.....	4.10
R. Herschel Mfg. Co.....	14.25
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	29.75
Oltman & Smith.....	23.25
August Green.....	586.25
Jos. Miller & Sons.....	25.74
C. Klingel & Son.....	25.65 \$ 978.66
Total for Parks and Squares.....	\$2,343.46

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

Pay Roll.....	\$4,896.65
J. H. Burns.....	\$ 9.35
Peoria Fuel Co.....	557.60
Peoria Roofing Co.....	5.00
McQuellon & Schori.....	18.10
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	16.59
Schipper & Block	1.70
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	35.65
A. L. Charvat.....	8.00
Jas. Raleigh.....	31.80
Excelsior Foundry Co.....	404.50

H. Lyon.....	.25
Peoria Coal Drill Works.....	.35
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	1.60
F. Seifert.....	22.50
F. R. Carter.....	171.50
G. W. Pratt .....	.10
H. L. Bond & Co.....	61.88
A. Lucas & Sons.....	9.24
A. P. Hanes.....	90.00
F. B. Hasbrouck.....	5.00
Planck Bros.....	.50
Thede Bros.....	2.81
Dalton & McElwee.....	16.00
C. O'Neil	1,271.21
Peoria Roofing Co.....	6.00
Garside Manufacturing Co.....	1.35
L. Ph. Wolf	3.75
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	24.78
A. Hutt	15.05
Walker & Werner.....	7.25
Hitchcock Bros.....	8.00
Herald-Transcript.....	3.75
Peoria Star Co.....	6.00
Crescent Stone Co.....	6.00
Harry Frankel	4.50
P. Wiegand .....	.60
Keuffel & Esser Co.....	5.58
T. J. Wasson	40.00 \$2,868.84
Total for Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	\$7,765.49

Opening Streets.

George Wolf	\$ 100.00
Extension of Warren Street	200.00
Total for Opening Streets.....	\$300.00

Farm Creek Bridge.

Pay Roll	\$ 32.00
Nicolas Tries.....	\$ 97.30
Jos. Miller & Sons	27.04
East Peoria Lumber Co.....	261.71
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	17.92
Jos. Cody & Son.....	2,528.16 2,932.13
Total for Farm Creek Bridge.....	\$2,964.18

Residence House of Correction.

Peoria Roofing Co.....	\$ 1.25
Jacob Strassberger	6.00
Total for Res. House of Correction	\$7.25

Street Signs.

Labor.....	\$69.75
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Pier Protection Upper Free Bridge.

Schultz Bros	\$ 198.54
I. C. Ry. Co.....	65.46
Labor.....	184.25
Couch and Heyle.....	17.60
F. Rheder	307.00
Total for Improvement Upper Free Bridge....	\$772.85

Improvement Public Levee.

Peoria Star Co.....	\$7.00
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Miscellaneous Expenses Department of Public Works.

Richardson Book and Stationery Co.....	\$ 12.53
Crescent Stone Co.....	5.00
A. L. Charvat.....	6.75
J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	5.88
Couch & Heyle.....	.35
Wm. Bittel.....	40.55
Walker & Werner	67.10
C. R. Gibson	5.00
R. Herschel Mfg. Co.....	19.00
Hunter & Strehlow.....	176.27
J. Schneider & Co.....	.40
A. Schweinboldt.....	32.95
Oltman & Schmidt.....	49.95
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	1.25
A. Lucas & Sons.....	.25
B. F. Adams.....	26.60
Central Union Telephone Co.....	54.66
F. Meyer & Bro. Co	116.81
Peoria Livery Co	4.00
L. C. Osborn.....	1.00
F. C. Edwards.....	11.35
Palace Livery Co.....	5.00

Jacquin & Co	27.80
Safford Stamp Works	8.27
J. C. Streibich.....	.70
T. V. Edwards.....	28.75
D. H. Tripp & Son.....	1.00
W. N. Hanford.....	3.40
Balzer & Reeves	9.45
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	15.80
M. Hilworth	1.00
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	255.95
R. W. Schuch.....	193.48
Hauling Lumber.....	20.00
Total Miscel. Expense Dept. Public Works ..	\$1,207.75
Total Department Public Works.....	\$90,478.83

Superintendent of Building.

W. F. Benson	\$1,500.00
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New Bridge.

Telegrams	\$ 2.88
J. Newsam.....	75.00
H. E. Beasley.....	14.50
W. L. Stebbins.....	3,000.00
J. W. Franks & Sons.....	.75
Municipal Engineering Co.....	4.65
L. Ph. Wolf.....	1.75
Herald-Transcript	3.50
Peoria News Publishing Co.....	4.40
W. L. Stebbins.....	3,000.00
McQuellon & Schori.....	240.00
Peoria Star Co.....	7.25
Chicago Journal.....	22.50
Peoria Demokrat.....	4.75
L. Ph. Wolf.....	7.00
Inspector's Fee.....	15.00
Pay Roll	71.85
M. Pfeiffer & Co.....	5.40
Jos. Cody & Son.....	25,020.00
Electric World.....	6.18
Construction News Co.....	4.80
W. L. Stebbins.....	200.00
R. Belsley.....	78.00
Central Union Telephone Co.....	1.20
Total for New Bridge.....	\$31,790.76

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Regular Police Pay Roll.....	\$ 60,795.50
Special Police.....	1,497.98
Secret Service.....	489.01
Total for Police.....	\$ 62,782.49

Meals for Prisoners.

J. A. Kelly.....	\$ 796.20
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Nuisances.

Union Rendering Co.....	\$ 600.00
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House of Correction.

Pay Roll.....	\$ 6,643.50
Quarterly Supplies.....	8,667.08
Total for House of Correction.....	\$ 15,310.58

Police Patrol and Ambulance.

Pay Roll	\$ 2,186.50
Todhunter & Alfs.....	7.70
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	22.65
Oltman & Schmitt.....	22.10
Balzer & Reeves.....	17.84
Electric Exchange.....	64.96
Gamewell F. A. Tel. Co.....	555.50
F. C. Stover.....	43.26
G. W. Smith & Son.....	65.50
A. Bragg.....	50.50
Wilson Com. Co.....	851.98
F. C. Edwards.....	84.00
J. D. Hall.....	4.30
C. E. Wheelock.....	.60
A. D. Campbell Hay Co.....	55.78
Cushen Coal Co.....	12.27
T. F. Carroll.....	14.25
Columbia & Western.....	600.00
Mrs. Sarah Godfrey.....	17.00
P. A. Flanagan.....	159.32
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	9.05
Dooley Bros.....	36.94

House of Correction.....	11.25
D. H. Tripp & Son.....	3.35
Central Electric Co.....	87.90
H. N. Frederick & Sons.....	49.60
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	2.72
J. A. Ryan, Jr.....	300.00
Feger Electric Co.....	3.00
C. E. Stapp.....	40.55
J. Schneider & Co.....	27.95
Walker & Werner.....	450.50
T. J. Wasson.....	3.60
B. F. Adams.....	5.25
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	1.75
G. J. Rothan.....	6.80
Peoria Veterinary Hospital	53.00
W. B. Winter.....	5.80
Schipper & Block.....	1.75
Sutliff & Case Co.....	.70
C. Gentes & Son.....	.75
F. S. Keas	75.00
L. A. Hanchette	122.15
D. S. Snider.....	1.35
Horace Clark & Sons	18.00
W. M. Allen.....	20.25
Couch & Heyle .....	.65
Central Union Tel. Co.....	29.62
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	.15
Theede Bros.....	9.94
Peoria Livery Co.	2.75
F. C. Carroll.....	20.00
Peoria Fuel Co.....	.80
H. V. Russell.....	6.65
S. Anderson	5.85
R. McCluggage.....	2.50
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	5.75
	\$4,072.63
Total for Police, Patrol and Ambulance	\$6,259.13

Suits and Damages.

Quinn & Quinn	\$ 100.00
T. S. Simpson.....	8.60
Margaret Wall.....	100.00
Mary Thompson.....	175.00
Jas. Shimmel	66.00
Mrs. Davis.....	73.00
I. C. Pinckney.....	509.00

Watson Bros.....	12.50
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	761.60
U. S. Court costs.....	61.89
Anna Burlett.....	100.00
F. C. Howe.....	25.00
G. K. Beasley.....	6.00
Bell Baird.....	447.15
S. J. Nichols.....	25.00
Jeanette Woodruff.....	57.00
C. West.....	20.00
The Michie Co.	20.00
John Koerner.....	27.00
E. A. Trefzger.....	40.05
Andrew Rosewater.....	100.00
G. K. Wheelock.....	50.00
F. B. Dalzell	10.00
Sheen & Miller.....	150.00
J. N. Niehaus.....	59.00
Alice Cutright.....	37.80
Total for Suits and Damages.....	\$ 3,041.09

Miscellaneous Expenses of Police Department.

Postage etc.....	\$ 39.80
Feger Electric Co.....	25.90
Thede Bros.....	2.13
H. N. Frederick & Sons.....	17.95
J. Ryan & Son.. ..	75.00
Plummer & Plummer.....	1.50
G. N. Portman.....	22.00
Walker & Werner.....	53.00
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	106.25
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	39.25
Central Union Telephone Co.....	158.45
J. Schneider & Co.....	3.40
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	11.65
Cosmopolitan Hotel.....	4.00
Peoria Arms Co.....	4.80
Chas. Bush.....	116.50
D. S. Snider.....	3.20
Gibson & Court.....	4.80
J. D. Peck.....	2.80
J. C. Streibich.....	6.10
Wilson Commission Co ..	84.40
L. F. Barthell....	4.15
Comstock-Avery Co.....	3.50

R. D. McDougal.....	7.75
C. Klingel & Sons	41.45
Dr. J. Scott.....	7.00
Dr. G. R. Shafer.....	28.00
Central Plating Works.....	5.00
Dr. J. F. Sloan.....	15.00
Dr. S. Horwitz.....	250.00
Electric Exchange.....	17.40
Peoria Livery Co.....	13.50
Jaquin & Co.....	12.85
Dr. H. M. Hayes.....	5.00
A. Reuber.....	5.00
Dr. H. A. Schoaf.....	9.00
Dr. E. B. Studer.....	10.00
Palace Livery Co.....	2.50
Peoria Electrotype Co.....	1.50
Dr. C. E. Davis.....	6.00
W. W. Rhoades.....	6.00
Pettibone Bros. Co.....	30.00
A. Lucas & Son.....	67.70
Rosenthal Dry Goods Co.....	5.00
D. W. C. Harris.....	1.90
Brodman & Roberts.....	25.14
Hendrichs & Richardson.....	10.00
Total Miscellaneous Expenses of Police Dept.	\$1,372.12
Total for Police Department.....	\$90,161.56

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Pay Roll	\$ 5,700.95
Dr. H. M. Hayes	\$ 1,200.00
Postage	48.40
Peoria Livery Co.....	197.75
Peoria Printing & Stationery Company.....	84.25
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	.75
P. A. Flanagan.....	68.70
C. Gentes & Son.....	7.50
Jobst, Bethard & Co.....	8.00
H. N. Frederick & Sons.....	24.70
Central Union Tel. Co.....	7.13
J. Schneider & Co.....	.90
Sutliff & Case Co.....	115.67

Hunter & Strehlow.....	3.00
Dr. J. Scott.....	5.00
J. W. Franks & Sons.....	15.00
Harry Bates	4.00
R. D. McDougal.....	212.01
C. F. Adams.....	10.00
E. J. Darst & Son	44.48
J. Ziegler.....	3.50
J. A. Bush.....	18.00
Dr. J. F. Sloan.....	5.00
H. C. Deal.....	18.00
C. Whittemore & Sons.....	.80
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	15.80
J. E. Durkin.....	.65
Greiner Stamp Wks.....	10.75
F. L. Lucas.....	5.00
Penn. Mfg. Co.....	3.09
Green's News Bazaar.....	2.45
J. E. Huber.....	25.00
Clark & Co.....	8.10
Jacquin & Co	19.56
S. W. Eckley.....	15.00
Postal Tel. & Cable Co.....	.53
Total Sanitary Department	\$2,208.42
	\$7,909.37

Health Department Emergency Hospital.

Pay Roll.....	\$1,631.00
P. A. Bergner & Co.....	2.28
Cushen Coal Co.....	25.12
Postage.....	3.00
Central Union Telephone Co.....	21.25
O'Niel & Son.....	9.10
F. B. McLaughlin & Co.....	2.85
W. H. DeLaney.....	16.37
C. F. Hummell & Son.....	1.40
Dooley Bros.....	88.21
Peoria Water Works Co	195.58
O. C. Slane.....	18.25
Schipper & Block.....	21.00
Hunter & Strehlow.....	.40
Dr. Hassen....	219.00
C. Hoover.....	82.50
Mrs. Burge.....	6.00
Woodruff Ice Co.....	9.45
Hitchcock Bros.....	26.80

Sutliff & Case Co.....	161.37
R. D. McDougal.....	146.48
Sarah Kidd.....	6.00
McQuellon & Schori.....	88.10
Dr. R. Hanna	5.00
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	.75
Ill. Fur. Co.....	9.50
Dr. Sprague.....	3.35
H. L. Tawzer.....	279.04
Mrs. Voris.....	12.00
Peoria Roofing Co.....	51.78
Gibbon, Dickelman, Furst & Bourke.....	45.00
Callender & Co.....	45.00
R. Bills & Co.....	25.00
Peoria Gas & Electric Co	7.42
C. L. Crawford.....	1.50 \$1,575.85
Total Emergency Hospital.....	\$3,206.85

Burning Cattle.

Labor	\$ 1,966.50
Dr. Uppendahl.....	25.00
Cottage Hospital.....	5.00
Chas. Johnson Hardware Co.....	16.80
Kingman Plow Co.....	29.25
Peoria Fuel Co.....	4.00
Bushell Manufacturing Co.	3,006.25
J. Newsam.....	35.90
Peoria Coal Drill Works	2.75
Royal Oil Co.	836.41
Standard Oil Co.....	165.60
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	16.92 \$4,143.88
Total burning cattle at Corning Distillery Fire	\$ 6,110.38
Total for Health Department.....	\$17,226.60

Food Inspector.

B. Kluever.....	\$ 780.00
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Plumbing Inspector.

E. H. Donahoe.....	\$ 1,200.00
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES**City Officers' Salaries.**

E. N. Woodruff.....	\$ 2,400.00
Robt. Joos.....	2,000.00
Wm. P. Gauss.....	1,500.00
Walter H. Kirk.....	2,000.00
Wm. G. Olwin.....	1,800.00
W. M. Barnes	1,100.00
Albert Eichenberger.....	900.00
Chas. Albersen.....	900.00
Miss F. Musgove	600.00
Miss L. Heberer.....	600.00
Total City Officers' Salaries.....	\$ 18,800.00

Printing and Advertising.

L. Ph. Wolf	\$ 633.25
Herald-Transcript	1,062.75
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	1,257.27
Schembs Printing Co.....	2.75
Peoria Star Co.....	79.50
J. W. Franks & Sons	59.00
Eagle Printing Co.....	32.00
Total for Printing and Advertising.....	\$ 3,126.52

Electric Lights.

Peoria Gas & Electric Co	\$ 43,786.39
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General Fund Interest.

Central National Bank.....	\$ 1,162.49
Merchants' National Bank	3,900.00
First National Bank	5,843.31
E. N. Woodruff.....	208.20
Ladies' Memorial Day Association.....	50.00
J. P. Durkin.....	1,253.43
Total for General Fund Interest.....	\$12,417.43

Council Meetings.

Aldermen's Fees.....	\$ 2,703.00
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City Elections.

Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	\$ 286.60
Peoria Livery Co.....	4.00
Sundry Persons Pay.....	13.00
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	64.30
Peoria Journal.....	86.25
D. W. Harris.....	.50
L. Ph. Wolf.....	148.25
Peoria Folksfreund.....	95.00
Herald-Transcript.....	142.50
Peoria Demokrat.....	77.00
Judges and Clerks.....	1,443.00
Rent for Polling Places.....	260.00
Postage	5.00
Peoria Star Co.....	142.50
C. P. Watson.....	50.00
C. Flanagan.....	30.00
Jacquin & Co.....	41.95
Total for City Elections.....	\$ 2,889.85

City Hall Expenses.

Pay Roll	\$ 7,618.40
West Disinfecting Co.....	\$ 29.50
F. C. Carroll.....	61.75
P. H. Kavanaugh.....	5.70
Couch & Heyle.....	16.88
Mexican Amole Soap Co.....	34.50
Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	62.10
Peoria Electric Co.....	2.10
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	48.72
Comstock-Avery Furniture Co.....	178.43
C. Klingel & Son.....	97.25
Nailon Bros. Co.....	3.60
R. D. McDougal.....	75.80
C. Kammerer.....	21.10
Brass Foundry & Heating Co.....	230.02
O. M. Klein.....	3.50
Schleicher & Son.....	12.00
J. E. Bentley	18.00
Peoria Roofing Co.....	86.87
Royal Oil Co.....	30.30
Dooley Bros.....	1,588.57
Spickwell & Jorden.....	119.42
G. W. Pratt.....	48.00
Cushen Coal Co.....	42.00

J. D. Peck & Co.....	296.02
P. C. Bartlett	43.50
J. C. Streibich.....	27.85
Peoria Towel & Apron Co.....	86.58
Woodruff Ice Co.....	126.80
J. Schneider & Co.....	5.05
Pfeiffer Crockery Co.....	48.00
Hitchcock Bros.....	7.80
C. Whittemore & Son.....	4.95
Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	40.81
Electric Exchange.....	9.68
Rome Soap Co.....	42.18
Crawley Electric Co.....	2.10
C. Sengenberger Co.....	3.00
Central Union Tel. Co.....	25.87
Balzer & Reeves.....	7.70
Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	31.70
C. L. Crawford	1.50
C. A. Henry.....	7.50
Thede Bros.....	.50
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	12.85
J. C. Murray.....	1.50
Todhunder & Alfs.....	7.55
Troy Laundry Co.....	17.27
Hunter & Strehlow.....	3.00
Schipper & Block.....	19.00
H. Bell.....	6.65
Central Electric Co.....	12.07
O. De La Bella	4.95
D. Connell	25.60
C. E. Wheelock.....	2.85
Johnson Temperature Co.....	13.35
W. B. Doty.....	13.50
Barker & Wheeler.....	3.90
W. W. Rhoades.....	25.00
Day Carpet & Furnishing Co.....	20.30
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.....	2.40
E. S. Goodsell & Co.....	12.45
Forbes Boiler Works.....	3.80
J. J. Jeffries & Co.....	25.20
W. H. Ebaugh.....	9.14
T. J. Wasson.....	73.25
Geo. Cotter.....	34.58
H. V. Finkelstein.....	1.50
	\$3,985.86
Total for City Hall Expenses.....	\$11,604.26

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES—GENERAL FUND.

East Approach Upper Free Bridge	\$ 2,823.95
Peoria Water Works Company.....	117.85
J. H. Benford.....	5.00
Johnson & Marsters	90.00
Tobias & Co.....	45.00
Gibbon, Dickelman, Furst & Bourke	90.00
J. H. Bontjes	99.00
F. T. Slevin.....	53.80
Callender & Co.....	189.00
Jacquin & Co.....	57.45
Postage.....	232.61
R. Bills & Co.....	115.00
Theo. J. Müller.....	135.00
W. H. Kirk	31.50
E. J. Darst.....	300.00
Donation Butler, Pa.....	50.00
Postal Tel. Co.....	.27
H. E. Beasley	24.90
H. L. Davis.....	45.00
Hansel & Wittick.....	59.70
A. F. Gable & Son.....	45.00
Cummings & Hatfield	45.00
A. Trefzger & Co.....	45.00
Spurck & Griggsby.....	45.00
D. H. Roberts	15.00
S. W. Eckley.....	155.00
Home of Good Shepherd.....	150.00
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	140.85
Central Union Telephone Co.....	27.23
Richardson Book & Stationery Co.....	293.54
Wagner Typewriter Co.....	4.60
Safford Stamp Works.....	5.85
Bessie Gipps.....	3.45
Express.....	.55
Greiner Stamp Works.....	142.25
H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	.95
Pay's Art Store.....	9.50
Robert Joos.....	4.05
Crescent Stone Co.....	5,184.36
E. M. Wing.....	117.32
J. J. Crowder.....	885.62
W. F. Benson.....	3.00

C. Frankel	2.00
Eagel Printing Co.....	2.25
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	141.75
Reward for Dunlap's Body.....	50.00
Police Cloth.....	241.86
Locomotive Engineers.....	300.00
J. Hudson.....	272.50
Chas. Fisher & Co.....	4.50
Pfeiffer Crockery Co.....	2.40
Peoria Livery Co.....	46.00
D. H. Tripp & Son.....	4.98
American Spirits Manufacturing Co.....	1,582.23
J. Schneider & Co.....	.35
J. C. Murray.....	3.40
C. Mamer.....	12.35
Spencer's Band.....	330.00
Dunbar & McAllister.....	65.66
Elliot, Fisher & Co.....	7.50
J. W. Franks & Sons.....	100.00
A. Joos	4.25
Coliseum.....	1,000.00
A. Kiefer.....	210.00
H. C. Fuller.....	11.00
J. G. Ballance.....	331.85
Standard Investment Co.....	60.87
W. A. Debold.....	20.00
W. W. Walsh, Jr.....	8.50
W. S. Eichenberger.....	.45
Remington Typewriter Co.....	1.50
Rogers & Neher.....	15.00
Trip to Buffalo.....	450.00
John Johnson.....	8.65
W. W. Weiss.....	10.00
Palace Livery.....	19.00
Colburn, Birks & Co.....	2.25
Jury Fees.....	9.00
Jesse Keys	4.00
Industrial School.....	29.16
J. C. Streibich.....	2.10
Thos. Sproat.....	40.50
Total.....	\$ 17,270.46

WATER FUND.

Coupons and Exchange paid	\$ 9,055.17
Hydrant Rentals.....	<u>36,175.72</u>
	<u>\$45,230.89</u>

RAILROAD FUND.

Interest on Railroad Bonds and Exchange.....	\$ 4,908.60
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BOUNTY FUND.

Interest on Bounty Bonds and Exchange.....	\$ 1,183.48
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SCHOOL FUND.

Interest on School Bonds and Exchange.....	\$ 3,245.02
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Library Orders Paid	\$17,576.75
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220	W. P. Gauss, Treasurer School Fund ...		512.02
221	Peddlers		620.65
222	Amusements		640.00
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235	General Fund Scrip		7,257.90
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319	Police Patrol and Ambulance Expenses..	1,259.13	
324	Repairing and Cleaning Sewers	2,765.49	
318	Miscellaneous Street Work.....	470.80	
330	Hose Company No. 1.....	519.03	
331	Hose Company No. 2.....	167.97	
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342	Hook and Ladder No. 1.....	101.41	
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327	Engineers and Assistants.....	862.41	
325	Regular Police.....		584.50
273	General Fund.....	412,966.90	
274	Bills Payable.....		247,511.24
275	Cleaning Streets.....		1,107.50
277	Miscellaneous Exp. Dept. Pub. Works..	357.75	
278	Secret Service.....		10.99
279	House of Correction.....	1,810.53	
280	Suits and Damages.....	41.09	
282	Special Police.....		2.02
283	Liquor License.....		111,750.00
284	Cigarettes		654.00
285	Peoria Public Library.....	576.75	
286	W. P. Gauss, Treas. Railroad Fund.....		318.60
288	Public Squares.....	343.46	
290	W. P. Gauss, Treasurer Bounty Fund....	966.52	
291	Repairing Paved Streets.....	50.96	
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85 Dog License.....		1,202.00
	\$479,314.63	\$479,314.63

SPECIAL FUND.

Receipts.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1904.....	\$ 18,008.78
Less outstanding scrip.....	<u>2,401.01</u>
Balance	15,607.77
J. J. Crowder, City Collector.....	72,348.65
Improvement Bonds.....	48,850.00
Fred. Olander, County Treasurer.....	8,881.81
Alley Block 43, Hale's addition.....	4.50
Crescent Stone Co.....	1,000.00
Barber Asphalt Co.....	<u>8,443.84</u> 128,978.80
Total Receipts	\$ 144,586.57

Expenditures.

Improvement Bonds.....	\$ 36,100.00
Ravine Avenue, Weber to Buckner—	
Interest on Bonds.....	30.00
Bradley Street, Bourland to Institute Place—	
Interest on Bonds	280.00
Malvern Avenue—	
Interest on Bonds.....	172.00

Randolph Avenue—			
Interest on Bonds		72.00	
Callender Avenue—			
Interest on Bonds.....		120.00	
Chestnut Street Sewer—			
Interest on Bonds.....		540.00	
Elizabeth Street, Windom to Main—			
Interest on Bonds.....		12.00	
Elizabeth Street, Moss to Windom—			
Interest on Bonds.....		42.00	
Perry Avenue, Cornhill to Abington—			
Interest on Bonds.....		96.00	
Main Street, Bourland to Bradley—			
Interest on Bonds.....		24.00	
Jackson Street, Washington to Adams—			
Interest on Bonds.....		12.00	
Sewer District No. 6—			
Rebate		2.69	
Dechman Avenue—			
Interest on Bonds		164.00	
Persimmon Street Sewer—			
Interest on Bonds.....\$	400.00		
Crescent Stone Co.....	997.46		1,397.46
Fredonia Avenue—			
Interest on Bonds.....		272.00	
South Adams Street, South to Western—			
Rebate.....		2.50	
Madison Avenue, Fulton to Liberty—			
Interest on Bonds.....		30.00	
Ayres Avenue, Culter to Western—			
Interest on Bonds.....		84.00	
LaSalle Avenue—			
Interest on Bonds.....		60.00	
Indiana Avenue, Pennsylvania to Ravine—			
Interest on Bonds.....		212.00	
Indiana Avenue, Glen Oak to Pennsylvania—			
Interest on Bonds		20.00	

South Adams St., Lincoln to South—			
Alley Block No. 3, Pulsipher's 1st Division—			
Hinkle	30.00		
O'Brien	30.00		
Herald-Transcript	20.00	80.00	
South Adams Street, Lincoln to Cedar—			
Interest on Bonds.....		120.00	
Cooper and Sherman Streets—			
Interest on Bonds.....		420.00	
University Street, Barker to Bradley—			
Interest on Bonds.....		280.00	
Wisconsin Avenue, Ravine to Nebraska—			
Interest on Bonds.....		180.00	
Wisconsin Avenue, Glen Oak to Ravine—			
Interest on Bonds.....		312.00	
Saratoga Street, Moss to Bradley—			
Interest on Bonds.....		50.00	
Jefferson Avenue, Main to Hamilton—			
Interest on Bonds.....		24.00	
Alley Block No. 41—			
Interest on Bonds .. .		40.00	
Harrison Street, Washington to Water—			
Interest on Bonds.....		150.00	
Alley Block No. 39—			
Interest on Bonds... .		70.00	
Bourland Street, Main to Bradley—			
Interest on Bonds.....		168.00	
University Street, Bradley to Main—			
Interest on Bonds.....		288.00	
Glen Oak Avenue, Knoxville to Jackson—			
Interest on Bonds.....		120.00	
Peoria Avenue, Pennsylvania to Nebraska—			
Rebate.....	2.17		
Interest on Bonds.....	380.00	382.17	
St. James Street, University to Elizabeth—			
Interest on Bonds .. .		860.00	
Warner Avenue—			
Dunbar & McAllister.....	1,277.17		
Interest on Bonds.... .	544.00	1,821.17	

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South Adams Street, Western to Oregon—			
Interest on Bonds.....		780.00	
Glen Oak Avenue, Jackson to Wisconsin—			
Interest on Bonds.....		380.00	
Cooper Street—			
Interest on Bonds.....		240.00	
Chambers Avenue—			
R. W. Schuch	17.50		
Jos. Wilhelm	75.00		
G. J. Jochem	75.00		
Interest on Bonds.....	440.00	607.50	
South Adams Street, Lincoln to South—			
Interest on Bonds.....		500.00	
Alley Block No. 1, Hale's Addition—			
Interest on Bonds.....	37.50		
Thompson & Case.....	64.33	101.83	
Chestnut Street, Adams to Washington—			
Interest on Bonds.....	56.00		
Thompson & Case.....	142.35	198.35	
North Street—			
Interest on Bonds.....		360.00	
Spring Street Sewer—			
Rebate.....		6.79	
Brotherson Street Sidewalk—			
Herald-Transcript	17.50		
L. Ph. Wolf.....	18.00		
Peoria Star Co.....	11.50		
G. Moritz....	115.56	162.56	
Alley Block No. 37—			
Herald-Transcript	33.75		
L. Ph. Wolf.....	34.00		
Inspector's Fees.....	52.50		
Excelsior Foundry Co.....	8.00		
Peoria Star.....	7.50		
A. D. Thompson.....	1,177.78		
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	1,345.53	
New York Avenue—			
Herald-Transcript	26.00		
L. Ph. Wolf	24.75		
Inspector's Fees.....	72.00		
Excelsior Foundry Co.....	48.00		

F. Hoeppner	5.45	
Peoria Star Co.	12.75	
Inspector's Fees.....	181.80	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co....	32.00	
A. D. Thompson.....	12,602.32	18,005.07
California Avenue Sidewalk—		
Herald-Transcript		19.00
Moss Avenue—		
Herald Transcript.....	19.50	
L. Ph. Wolf	19.50	39.00
Reed Avenue—		
Herald-Transcript	34.50	
L. Ph. Wolf.....	57.00	
Inspector's Fees.....	318.50	
Dunbar & McAllister.....	10,858.77	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	6.35	
W. H. Ebaugh	12.00	
Rebate.....	55.93	11,375.05
Oak Street, Depot to Adams—		
Herald-Transcript	44.25	
L. Ph. Wolf	38.75	
Excelsior Foundry Co.....	28.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	14.25	
Inspector's Fees.....	142.25	
A. D. Thompson.....	4,149.66	
Woods & Smith.....	10.00	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	4,454.16
Oak Street—Adams and Reed—		
Herald-Transcript	11.00	
L. Ph. Wolf	9.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	18.50	
Inspector's Fees.....	115.50	
A. D. Thompson.....	4,144.98	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	4,325.98
Prairie Street—		
L. Ph. Wolf	34.75	
Herald-Transcript	34.75	
Inspector's Fees.....	36.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	12.65	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
Dunbar & McAllister.....	1,258.38	
Rebate.....	72.77	1,481.30

Alley Block No. 43, Hale's Addition—

Herald-Transcript	39.25	
L. Ph. Wolf.....	29.25	
Inspector's Fees.....	18.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	9.00	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
Dunbar & McAllister.....	906.72	
Rebate.....	100.80	1,135.02

Wisconsin Avenue Sidewalk—

L. Ph. Wolf	6.00	
Herald-Transcript	7.50	13.50

South Washington Street, Chestnut to Locust—

L. Ph. Wolf	21.00	
Herald-Transcript	28.75	
Inspector's Fees	164.65	
Excelsior Foundry.....	24.00	
Peoria Star Co.....	18.00	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
M. E. Case.....	15,582.34	
Rebate.....	2,737.61	18,608.35

East Armstrong Avenue—

Herald-Transcript	42.75	
L. Ph. Wolf.....	50.25	
Inspector's Fees.....	243.00	
Crescent Stone Co.....	7,404.88	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
Peoria News Co.....	3.00	7,775.83

Smith Street—

L. Ph. Wolf.....	27.00	
Herald-Transcript	22.50	
Inspector's Fees.....	326.50	
Peoria Star Co.....	10.00	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	32.00	
A. D. Thompson.....	17,693.13	
Excelsior Foundry Co.....	48.00	
F. Heoppner.....	7.70	18,166.83

Nebraska Street Sidewalk—

L. Ph. Wolf.....	9.00	
Herald-Transcript	7.50	16.50

Alley Block No. 66—

L. Ph. Wolf.....	20.25	
Herald-Transcript	21.75	
Inspector's Fees.....	21.00	

Peoria Star Co.....	8.25	
Crescent Stone Co.....	624.40	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.,.....	32.00	727.65
South Glendale Avenue W. to S.—		
Herald-Transcript	9.00	
L. Ph. Wolf	13.50	22.50
Saratoga Street—		
S. F. Atwood.....	30.00	
E. D. McCabe.....	30.00	60.00
East Section North Peoria Sewer—		
L. Ph. Wolf	35.50	
Herald-Transcript	35.50	
Engineers' Records.....	19.80	
Peoria Star Co.....	30.00	
American Contractors.....	12.15	
Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	43.00	
Inspector's Fees.....	189.75	365.70
Sidewalk Block 119, Hale's Addition—		
L. Ph. Wolf	10.30	
Herald-Transcript	10.50	20.80
Glen Oak Avenue W. to S.—		
L. Ph. Wolf.....	11.25	
Herald-Transcript	11.25	22.50
Western Avenue—		
L. Ph. Wolf.....	30.00	
Herald-Transcript	19.25	49.25
Total Expenditures.....		\$ 130,976.54

Recapitulation.

Receipts.....	\$ 144,586.57	
Expenditures.....	130,976.54	
Balance		\$ 18,610.08
Cash on hand January 1st, 1905.....	\$ 14,227.57	
Less Outstanding Scrip.....	617.54	
		\$ 18,610.08

Special Assessment Bonds Issued During 1904.

Prairie Street	\$ 1,200.00
New York Avenue.....	10,250.00
S. Washington Street, C to L	7,500.00

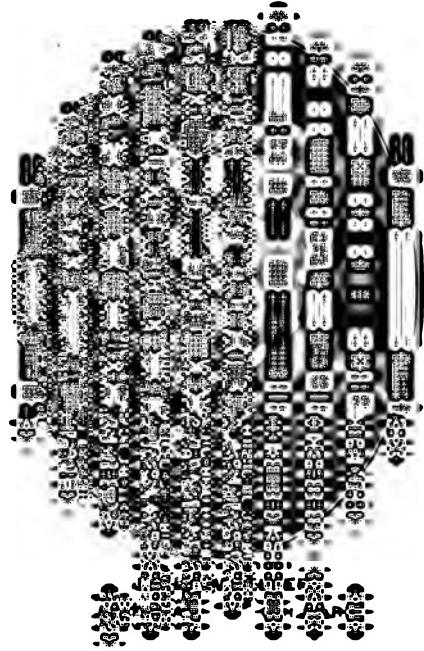
Reed Avenue.....	6,500.00
East Armstrong Avenue.....	6,000.00
Alley, Block No. 37.....	900.00
Oak Street, Depot to Adams.....	1,500.00
Oak Street, Adams to Reed.....	3,000.00
Smtth Street.....	12,000.00
Total.....	48,850.00

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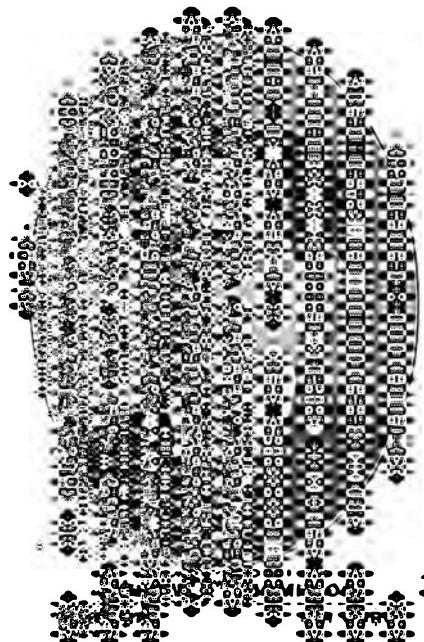
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7	Bigelow Street.....	390.08	
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14	Madison Avenue, Hamilton to Spring.....	3,631.69	
16	Main Street, North to Elizabeth.....	265.93	
19	Bradley Avenue, B. to I. P.....	3,023.44	
21	Malvern Avenue.....	3,124.62	
24	Randolph Avenue.....	3,817.00	
25	Callender Avenue	530.16	
31	Chestnut Street Sewer.....	3,456.29	
38	Sewer District, No. 1, Grant Street.....	467.85	
40	Seventh Avenue, Spencer to Union.....	427.07	
41	Seventh Avenue, Franklin to Spencer...	1,497.50	
45	Elizabeth Street, Main to Chambers.....	23.92	
46	Elizabeth Street, Windom to Main.....	59.80	
47	Elizabeth Street, Flora to High.....	43.91	
192	North Street	3,718.63	
50	Ravine Avenue, Knoxville to Windom...	421.33	
51	Perry Avenue, Cornhill to Abington....	356.79	
52	Monroe Street, Hamilton to Cornhill....	2,304.67	
54	Washington Street, Hamilton to Cornhill.	1,157.54	
56	Lincoln Avenue, West Jefferson to Olive.	141.10	
59	Main Street, Bourland to Bradley.....		51.81
60	Main Street, Elizabeth to Bourland	1,424.71	
61	Jackson Street, Washington to Adams...	50.07	
195	Spring Street Sewer		2,485.02
71	N. Jefferson Ave., Hamilton to Cornhill..		719.27
73	S. Washington St, Apple to Western....		375.06
75	Perry Street, Main to Cornhill.....		1,814.93
78	West Bluff Sewer.....	2,677.73	
94	Caroline Street.....	1,326.97	

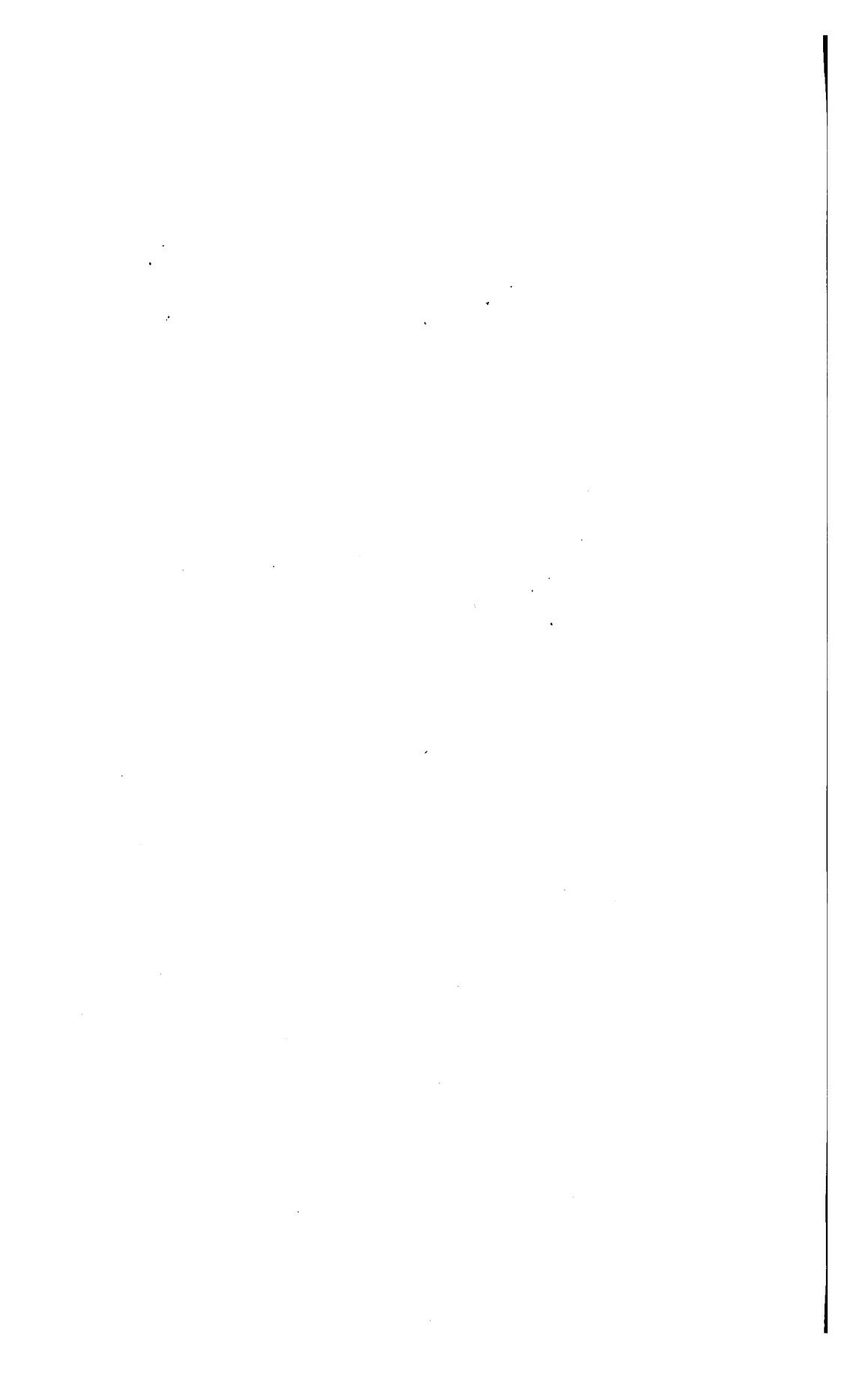
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108	Hamilton Street, Bluff to Randolph.....	419.27	
109	Hamilton Street, Randolph to North....	1,803.67	
114	Alley Block, No. 43.....		15.73
133	Dechman Avenue.....	3,807.19	
134	Persimmon Street Sewer.....	6,212.55	
135	Fredonia Avenue.....	4,759.52	
136	Perry Avenue Sewer.....		28.18
137	South Adams Street, South to Western ..		133.49
138	North Adams Street, Spring to Cornhill..	161.01	
139	Seventh Avenue, Union to City Limits...	2.35	
140	Madison Avenue, Fulton to Liberty.....	384.11	
141	Ayres Avenue, Culter to Western	607.88	
148	LaSalle Avenue	908.45	
149	Indiana Avenue, Pennsylvania to Ravine	3,579.46	
150	Indiana Ave., Glen Oak to Pennsylvania..	493.23	
185	South Adams Street, Lincoln to South....	8,857.42	
197	W. P. Gauss, Treasurer Special Fund...	14,227.57	
156	South Adams Street, L to C	854.35	
157	Cooper and Sherman.....	2,924.24	
159	University Street, Barker to Bradley....	1,666.80	
160	Wisconsin Avenue, Ravine to Nebraska..	1,893.88	
161	Wisconsin Avenue, Glen Oak to Ravine..	3,871.41	
162	Saratoga Street, Main to Bradley.....	1,451.19	
193	Special Fund.....	5,883.97	
196	Special Fund Scrip.....	617.54	
217	Improvement Bonds.....	192,200.00	
166	Second Avenue, Spencer to Grove.....	2.83	
167	Jefferson Avenue, Main to Hamilton....	573.73	
168	Sanford Street, First to Prairie.....	493.53	
169	Alley Block No. 41	219.22	
170	Hamilton Street, Washington to Water..	907.32	
171	Alley Block No. 39	260.17	
172	Bourland Street	4,288.37	
174	University Street.....	3,449.10	
175	Hamilton Street.....	159.33	
176	Glen Oak Avenue, Knoxville to Jackson..	1,968.25	
177	Peoria Avenue, Pennsylvania to Nebraska	5,587.23	
178	St. James Street.....	8,511.57	
179	Warner Avenue	10,765.98	
180	South Adams Street, Western to Oregon.	11,833.28	
181	Glen Oak Avenue, Jackson to Wisconsin.	9,010.89	
182	Cooper Street	5,375.48	
184	Chambers Avenue	9,897.92	
186	East Bluff Sewer, East Section.....	4.95	



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123	Sewer District No. 6, Jackson Street.....	1,028.06	
189	Hamilton Street, Madison to Monroe.....	5.20	
190	Alley Block No. 1	33.39	
191	Chestnut Street, Adams to Washington ..	1,203.98	
36	Water Street, Main to Eaton		62.43
155	Alley Block No. 3, Pulsifer's First Div...	80.00	
198	Brotherson Street Sidewalk.....	162.56	
199	Alley Block No. 37.....	998.72	
200	New York Avenue.....	9,180.44	
201	California Street Sidewalk.....	19.00	
202	Moss Avenue.....	39.00	
203	Reed Avenue.....	6,192.09	
204	Oak Street, Depot to Adams.....		324.61
205	Oak Street, Adams to Reed	2,824.57	
206	Prairie Street.....	122.04	
207	Alley Block 43, Hale's Addition.....		45.40
208	South Washington Street, Chestnut to Locust.....	5,804.59	
209	Wisconsin Avenue Sidewalk.....	13.50	
210	East Armstrong.....	5,898.51	
211	Smith Street.....	11,812.84	
212	Nebraska Street Sidewalk	16.50	
213	Alley Block No. 66.....		121.04
214	South Glendale Avenue.....	22.50	
215	Saratoga Street.....	60.00	
216	North Peoria Sewer, East Section.....	187.36	
219	Sidewalk, Block 119, Hale's Addition....	20.80	
220	Glen Oak, W. to S	22.50	
221	Western Avenue.....	49.25	
		\$206,366.55	\$206,366.55

**Bonded Indebtedness of the City of Peoria,
January 1, 1905.**

To Whom Issued	For What Purpose	Rate of Interest	When Due	Amount	Total
Peoria & Rock Island Ry. Board of School Inspectors	Railroad School.....	4½ per cent. 4 " "	July 1, 1908 Sept. 1, 1907	\$100,000.00 89,000.00	\$100,000.00
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Bearer.....	Bounty.....	4 "	May 1, 1908 June 1, 1910 June 1, 1918 June 2, 1922 March 2, 1928	8,000.00 10,500.00 20,000.00 21,000.00 21,000.00	77,500.00
"	"	4 "			
"	Water Works	4½ "	June 1, 1908	195,000.00	195,000.00

Total Bonded Debt.....\$414,500.00

The Water Works Bonds, \$195,000.00, were assumed by the Peoria Water Co. when the City Water Works were sold to them. The City holds first mortgage on the new works for the payment of them, which would make the City's bonded debt \$219,500.00 January 1, 1905. Arrangements have been completed with the Water Works Co. to pay this money February 1, 1905.

Bills Payable.

Floating Debt.....	\$ 90,000.00
Emergency Hospital Debt.....	5,163.96
New City Hall Debt.....	85,000.00
East Approach to Upper Free Bridge.....	11,239.25
New Bridge.....	50,000.00
Burning Cattle at Corning's Fire.....	6,108.03

Total Debt.....\$247,511.24

SCHEDULE

Of Real Estate and Personal Property Belonging to the City of Peoria
December 31, 1904.

New City Hall.....	\$ 234,500.00
City Hall Grounds.....	25,000.00
City Hospital Property.....	10,000.00
House of Correction.....	40,000.00
Morton Park.....	30,000.00
State House Square.....	30,000.00
Lincoln Park.....	20,000.00
Central City Hose House No. 1 and Lot	20,000.00
Holly Hose House No. 2 and Lot.....	15,000.00
West Bluff Hose House No. 3 and Lot.....	9,000.00
Hose House No. 4 and Lot.....	6,000.00
Hose House No. 5 and Lot.....	7,000.00
Hose House No. 6 and Lot.....	6,000.00
Hose House No. 7 and Lot.....	13,500.00
Hose House No. 8 and Lot.....	6,000.00
Volunteer Hose House No. 4 and Lot.....	2,000.00
Combination House No. 1 and Lot, S. Peoria...	8,500.00
Combination House No. 2 and Lot, N. Peoria..	8,500.00
Volunteer Hose Co. No. 2 and Lot, S. Peoria...	1,500.00
New Engine House Sixth Ward and Lot.....	9,000.00
Equity in New Bridge over Illinois River.....	50,000.00
Peoria Coliseum.....	62,500.00
Spurck Lot	11,000.00
South Peoria Hall and Lot.....	1,500.00 \$626,500.00

Personal Property.

Fire Alarm Telegraph System.....	\$ 20,000.00
Hose Co. No. 1.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 2.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 3.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 4.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 5.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 6.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 7.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 8.....	2,100.00
Combination No. 1 South Peoria	3,000.00
Combination No. 2 North Peoria	3,000.00
Chemical No. 1.....	2,800.00
Hook and Ladder No. 1.....	3,000.00
Hook and Ladder No. 2.....	3,000.00

Steamer No. 1.....	3,500.00
Steamer No. 2.....	2,000.00
Steamer No. 3.....	2,000.00
Volunteer No. 4.....	500.00
Volunteer Nos. 1 and 2.....	2,000.00
Extra Horses, etc., Fire Department.....	1,800.00
Horses, Wagon, etc., Police Patrol.....	3,000.00
Team, Tools, etc., House of Correction.....	2,000.00
City Scales.....	1,500.00
Road Roller and Scrapers.....	8,000.00
Street Sweepers.....	1,850.00
Security Payment Water Works Bonds.....	195,000.00
Machine Testing Brick and Cement.....	1,000.00
Emergency Hospital.....	5,500.00
Peoria Coliseum Furniture, etc.....	8,150.00
North Peoria Hall.....	1,000.00
	\$300,250.00
Total.....	\$901,850.00

ANNUAL APPROPRIATION BILL

AN ORDINANCE making appropriations for the corporate purposes for the fiscal year from January 1st, 1904, to January 1st, 1905, and known as the "Annual Appropriation Bill."

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Peoria:

SECTION 1. That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary and as may be authorized by law, and the same are hereby appropriated to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities, and for the corporate purposes of the City of Peoria, as hereinafter specified for the fiscal year, commencing January 1st, 1904, and ending January 1st, 1905.

Department of Public Works.

Miscellaneous Street Work.....	\$ 12,000.00
Repairing Paved Streets.....	2,500.00
Cleaning Streets.....	17,000.00
Bridges and Culverts.....	200.00
Gutters and Drains.....	1,500.00
Crossings	1,500.00
Cleaning Crossings.....	500.00
Sidewalks	2,000.00
Curbing	5,000.00
Opening Streets.....	500.00
Lower Free Bridge.....	7,200.00
Upper Free Bridge.....	2,800.00
Boundary Roads.....	4,000.00
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	5,000.00
Com. of Public Works and Clerk's Salary.....	2,900.00
Supt. of Special Assessment Salary.....	1,000.00
Supt. of Sewers Salary.....	1,200.00
Superintendent of Streets Salary.....	1,200.00
Engineer and Assistants' Salary and Expenses	8,970.00
Miscellaneous Exp. of Department, Tools, etc.	850.00
Farm Creek Bridge.....	2,500.00
City Scales	300.00
Harbor Master's Salary.....	100.00
Public Wells and Drinking Fountains.....	500.00
Public Squares—State House.....	
Lincoln	
Morton.....	
Hamilton Boulevard	2,000.00
Public Buildings, N. Peoria Hall.....	100.00
Public Buildings, South Peoria Hall.....	100.00

Public Buildings, Residence H. of C.....	50.00
Street Signs	200.00
Pier Protection Upper Free Bridge.....	2,600.00
Asphalt Repair Plant.... ***	1,800.00
Improvement Public Levee.....	5,000.00 \$93,070.00
Supt. of Building.....	1,500.00
Printing Building Laws.....	150.00 \$1,650.00

Police Department.

Regular Police and Matron.....	\$ 61,380.00
Special Police.....	1,500.00
Secret Service.....	500.00
Meals for Prisoners	800.00
Nuisances.....	600.00
House of Correction.....	13,500.00
Miscellaneous Expenses Police Department...	600.00
Police Patrol and Ambulance Expenses.....	5,000.00
Suits and Damages.....	3,000.00 \$ 86,880.00

Fire Department.

Steamer No. 1.....	\$ 8,045.00
Hose Co. No. 1.....	3,705.00
Hose Co. No. 2.....	3,825.00
Hose Co. No. 3.....	3,705.00
Hose Co. No. 4.....	3,825.00
Hose Co. No. 5.....	3,705.00
Hose Co. No. 6.....	3,705.00
Hose Co. No. 7.....	3,705.00
Hose Co. No. 8.....	3,705.00
Chemical No. 1.....	3,025.00
Combination No. 1, S. Peoria.....	3,755.00
Combination No. 2, N. Peoria.....	3,755.00
Hook and Ladder No. 1.....	3,705.00
Hook and Ladder No. 2.....	3,917.00
Hook and Ladder No. 3	3,965.00
Volunteer Fire Co. No. 1 S. Peoria.....	400.00
Volunteer Fire Co. No. 2 S. Peoria.....	400.00
Fire Co. No. 4.....	500.00
Chief and Assistant's Salaries.....	2,700.00
Purchasing Horses	750.00
New Hose.....	2,500.00
Relief Men on Department.....	8,580.00
Miscellaneous Expenses of Department.....	4,000.00
New Apparatus	2,000.00 76,277.00

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

Electrician Salaries and Supplies	\$	4,500.00	4,500.00
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Interest on Bonded Debt.

Water Fund.....	\$	8,825.00
Railroad Fund.....		4,590.00
Bounty Fund.....		1,850.00
School Fund		3,285.00
Hydrant Rentals.....	\$	36,500.00

Health Department.

Health Officer and Inspectors.....	\$	9,000.00
Food Inspector.....		780.00
Plumbing Inspector.....		1,200.00

City Officers' Salaries.

Mayor.....	\$	2,400.00
City Clerk.....		2,000.00
Assistant City Clerk.....		900.00
City Attorney		2,000.00
Assistant City Attorney.....		1,100.00
City Treasurer.....		1,500.00
City Comptroller.....		1,800.00
Assistant City Comptroller.....		900.00
Stenographers.....		1,200.00

Miscellaneous Items.

Printing and Advertising.....	\$	2,500.00
Electric Lights.....		44,500.00
General Fund Interest		12,500.00
Council Meetings.....		2,700.00
City Elections.....		3,000.00
Public Library.....		17,000.00
City Hall Expenses.....		11,000.00

Miscellaneous Expenses General Fund.

East Approach Upper Free Bridge.....	\$	6,028.31
Maintaining Coliseum.....		1,000.00
Rent E. J. Darst		300.00
Rebate Taxes American Spirits Co.....		984.00
Paving City Property.....		1,470.64
Paving School Property.....		288.00
1 per cent. License Pension Fund.....		1,140.00
Band Concerts.....		500.00
Miscellaneous Items not known.....		3,500.00
New Bridge.....		25,000.00

40,155.95

Summary.

Department Public Works	\$ 93,070.00
Police Department.....	86,880.00
Fire Department.....	76,277.00
Fire Alarm Telegraph.....	4,500.00
Interest on Bonds.....	18,550.00
Hydrant Rentals.....	36,500.00
Health Department	9,000.00
Food Inspector.....	780.00
Superintendent Buildings.....	1,650.00
Plumbing Inspector.....	1,200.00
City Officers' Salaries.....	13,800.00
Printing and Advertising	2,500.00
Electric Lights.....	44,500.00
General Fund Interest.....	12,500.00
Council Meetings.....	2,700.00
City Elections.....	3,000.00
Public Library.....	17,000.00
City Hall Expenses.....	11,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	40,155.95 475,562.95

SEC. 2. All unexpended balances of any item or items of any general or special appropriation made by this ordinance may by this ordinance be expended in making up any insufficiency in any item or items in the same general appropriation, and for the same general purposes, or in like appropriation made by this ordinance.

SEC. 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Passed in Council this 29th day of March, A. D. 1904.

E. N. WOODRUFF, Mayor.

Attest:

ROBERT JOOS, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

**LEVYING AND ASSESSING THE MUNICIPAL TAX OF THE CITY OF PEORIA,
ILLINOIS, FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR, A. D. 1904.**

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Peoria:

SECTION 1. That the sum of Two Hundred and Seventy-Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ninety-Four Dollars (\$273,894.00), the same being the amount necessary to be raised to make up the total amount of appropriation heretofore legally made for all corporate purposes of the City of Peoria, for maintaining a public library and for paying the interest on bonded indebtedness of the said City of Peoria, and to be collected from the tax levy of the current fiscal year of the said city, be, and the same is hereby levied and assessed on all real and personal property within said city, according to the value of such property, as the same is assessed for State and County purposes for the current year; said tax so levied and assessed being for the current fiscal year of the said city, and the said appropriation, the total amount of which required to be raised for the respective purposes being as follows, to-wit:

For City Officers' Salaries.....	\$ 23,450.00
For paving, repairing and maintaining streets.....	14,700.00
For construction, repair of bridges and culverts.....	7,500.00
For general curbing fund.....	6,500.00
For construction, repair and maintenance of sewers.....	17,950.00
For maintenance of Police Department.....	30,650.00
For maintenance of Fire Department.....	32,850.00
For printing and advertising.....	3,557.00
For public lighting of streets.....	26,668.00
For maintenance of Public Squares.....	2,100.00
For maintenance of Public Scales.....	550.00
For general water fund supply.....	29,498.00
For maintenance of Public Library	20,000.00
For interest on Water Works Bonds.....	15,500.00
For interest on Railroad Bonds.....	5,090.00
For interest on Bounty Bonds	2,422.00
For interest on School Bonds.....	4,424.00
For construction of City Hall building.....	25,000.00
For expense and cost of collection.....	5,485.00
	<hr/> \$273,894.00

SEC. 2. That the City Clerk of the City of Peoria, be, and he is hereby directed to prepare a duly certified copy of this ordinance and file the same in the office of the County Clerk in and for the County of

Peoria, and State of Illinois, and that the said County Clerk, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to extend said aggregate municipal tax, to-wit: The sum of Two Hundred and Seventy-Three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ninety-four Dollars (\$273,894.00), according to law for the use of the corporation of the City of Peoria.

Passed in Council this 16th day of August, A. D. 1904.

E. N. WOODRUFF, Mayor.

Attest:

ROBERT JOOS, City Clerk.

Copy filed in the office of the County Clerk this 14th day of September, A. D. 1904.

LUCAS I. BUTTS, County Clerk.

By OSCAR HEINRICH, Deputy.

AN ORDINANCE

LEVYING A SCHOOL TAX FOR THE CITY OF PEORIA, AND TOWNSHIP OF PEORIA, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, FOR THE ENSUING YEAR, 1904-1905.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Peoria:

SECTION 1. That, whereas, the Board of School Inspectors of the City of Peoria, in the County of Peoria and State of Illinois, have caused a notice to be given to the City Council of the said City of Peoria, that in the judgment of said Board of School Inspectors, it will require to be raised by taxation on all the taxable real estate and personal property in that portion of Township nine (9) North, Range eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, in the said County of Peoria, described as follows:

The south half of Section thirty-three (33) and the south half of the north half of Section thirty-three (33), and the southwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34), and the south half of the northwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34); also commencing at the southeast corner of said southwest quarter of said Section thirty-four (34), and running thence east on the section line to the intersection of said section line with the west line of the right of way of the Central Railway Company; thence in a northerly direction along said west line of said right of way to the half-section line; thence west along said half-section line to the center of said Section thirty-four (34); thence south to the place of beginning. And also upon all the taxable real estate and personal property in Township eight (8) North, Range eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, in the said County of Peoria, an amount equal to a tax of two (2) per cent. for the support and maintenance of the public schools therein; and an additional amount equal to one (1) per cent.

thereon, for school building purposes; amounting to a tax of three (3) per cent. upon all the taxable real estate and personal property in the said portion of said Township nine (9) North, Range eight (8) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian above described, and also upon all the taxable real estate and personal property in said Township Eight (8) North, Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, for school purposes, for the ensuing year.

Therefore, there is hereby levied a tax of three (3) per cent. of the assessed valuation of the real estate and personal property in the aforesaid portion of Township Nine (9) North, Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, above described, and upon all of said Township Eight (8), North Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, upon and against all the taxable real estate and personal property in the aforesaid portion of Township Nine (9) North, Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, in the County of Peoria, and State of Illinois, described as follows:

The south half of Section thirty-three (33) and the south half of the north half of Section thirty-three (33) and the southwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34) and the south half of the northwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34); also, commencing at the southeast corner of said southwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34) and running thence east on the section line to the intersection of said section line with the west line of the right of way of the Central Railway Company; thence in a northerly direction along the said west line of said right of way of said Central Railway Company to its intersection with the half section line; thence west along the said half section line to the center of said Section Thirty-four (34); thence south to the place of beginning.

And upon and against all the taxable real estate and personal property in Township Eight (8), North Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian, in the County of Peoria, in the State of Illinois, which said tax is hereby ordered extended and entered against all the taxable real estate and personal property in said portion of said Township Nine (9) North, Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian above described, and all said Township Eight (8), North Range Eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian by the County Clerk of the said County of Peoria, in the State of Illinois, for said school purposes, and the same to be extended and collected as provided by law.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk of said City of Peoria is hereby instructed and directed to deliver a duly certified copy of this ordinance to the County Clerk of the said County of Peoria, in the State of Illinois, at his office in the Court House, in the City of Peoria, as the authority to the said County Clerk for the extending of said tax upon all the taxable real and personal estate and property in said portion of said Township nine (9) North, Range eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal

Meridian above described, and in all of said Township eight (8) North, Range eight (8) East of the Fourth (4th) Principal Meridian above described, as the law directs.

Passed in Council this 26th day of July, A. D. 1904.

E. N. WOODRUFF, Mayor.

ROBERT JOOS, City Clerk.

Attest:

Certified copy of above ordinance filed with the County Clerk the third day of August, A. D. 1904. LUCAS I. BUTTS, County Clerk.

By JOHN A. WEST, Deputy.

SALARIES.

Mayor	per year	\$2,400.00
Aldermen.	per meeting	3.00
City Clerk.....	per year	2,000.00
Assistant City Clerk	"	900.00
City Attorney.....	"	2,000.00
Assistant City Attorney.....	"	1,100.00
City Treasurer.....	"	1,500.00
City Comptroller	"	1,800.00
Assistant City Comptroller	"	900.00
City Engineer.....	"	2,000.00
First Assistant Engineer.....	per month	100.00
Second Assistant Engineer.....	"	100.00
Leveler	"	75.00
Rod Men.....	"	60.00
Bookkeeper.....	"	55.00
Stenographers.....	"	50.00
City Electrician	per year,	1,500.00
Assistant Electrician.....	per month	75.00
Superintendent of Police.....	per year	1,500.00
Captain of Police.....	"	1,200.00
Lieutenant of Police.....	"	960.00
Food Inspector.....	"	780.00
Harbor Master.....	"	100.00
Health Commissioner.....	"	1,200.00
Fire Marshal	"	1,500.00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	"	1,200.00
Commissioner of Public Works	"	2,000.00
Superintendent of Streets.....	"	1,200.00
Sewer Inspector.....	"	1,200.00
Sidewalk Inspector.....	"	900.00
Superintendent of Special Assessments.....	"	1,000.00
Registrar of Vital Statistics.....	per month	65.00
Milk Inspector	"	65.00
Sanitary Inspectors.....	per day	2.00
Police Sergeants.....	per month	70.00
Patrolmen and Detectives	"	65.00
Police Matron	"	50.00
Firemen.....	"	65.00
Fire Captains.....	"	70.00
Engineers of Steamers.....	"	65.00

Superintendent of Buildings .....	.....per year	1,500.00
Bridge Foremen.....	.....per month	75.00
Bridge Tenders	"	65.00
Railroad Flagmen.....	.....per day	1.50
Engineer.....	.....per month	100.00
Assistant Engineer.....	"	60.00
Head Janitor.....	"	65.00
Janitor's First Assistant.....	"	45.00
Assistant Janitors	"	40.00
Window Washer .....	.....per day	1.60
Elevator Conductors.....	.....per month	35.00

The Weighmasters shall receive as compensation one-third of the receipts of the City Scales to which he is appointed or may have charge.

The Oil Inspector, City Boiler Inspector and the City Sealer of Weights and Measures shall receive as compensation nine-tenths of the fees collected and received by him as now allowed and fixed by the ordinances of the City of Peoria governing the above offices.

The City Collector of Special Assessments shall receive as compensation 2 per cent. of the amount of taxes or special assessments received or collected by him.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Mr. W. G. Olwin, City Comptroller.

DEAR SIR:—In accordance with the requirements of the Ordinances of the City of Peoria, I have the honor of submitting for your examination and approval the annual statement of transactions in the Treasurer's Department for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1904:

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance Jan. 1, 1904.....	\$ 12,596.27
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Taxes.

From John H. Hall, and W. W. Abrams, Township Collectors.....	243,087.30
From Fred. Olander, County Treasurer.....	72,215.27

Licenses.

Liquors	\$ 111,750.00
Amusement	640.00
Auctioneer	130.50
Bill Posters.....	86.50
Cigarettes.....	654.00
Dogs.....	1,202.00
Drain Layers.....	31.65
Druggists	750.00
House Movers	70.00
Junk Dealers.....	115.32
Peddlers	620.65
Scavengers.....	120.00
Second Hand Dealers	98.50
Vehicles	405.00
Bakers	137.90
Automobiles.....	30.00
Billiard and Pool Tables.....	294.00 \$ 117,131.02

Miscellaneous Receipts.

W. F. Benson, Building Inspector.....	2,061.00
J. D. Hall, City Electrician.....	762.25
Dr. H. M. Hayes, Health Commissioner.....	375.00
F. D. Fox, Police Magistrate.....	1,216.25
J. Jeffries, Oil Inspector.....	108.98
E. H. Donahoe, Plumbing Inspector.....	404.50
C. F. Bartson, Oil Inspector.....	72.65
W. F. Thomas, Boiler Inspector	108.00
C. Frankel, City Sealer.....	72.80
Board Examining Engineers.....	210.00
House of Correction	6,035.28
Rent, Residence House of Correction	88.00
R. W. Schuch, Commissioner of Public Works.	754.38
W. H. Kirk, City Attorney.....	79.00
City Scales.....	1,657.05
Lena D. Barnard.....	1.00
Alderman L. Mueller.....	150.00
Old Hose.....	15.00
Butler, Pa.....	50.00
Central City Street Railway.....	5,000.00
Upper Free Bridge Approach.....	2,000.00
Coliseum	307.97
Insurance Tax.....	6,156.25
Central National Bank.....	100,000.00
First National Bank.....	16,108.03 \$143,793.29
	\$588,823.15

EXPENDITURES.

General Fund—Scrip Paid.....	\$ 542,105.74
Library Fund—Scrip Paid.....	17,576.75
Cash on hand January 1st, 1905.....	29,140.66 \$588,823.15

SPECIAL FUND.**Receipts.**

Cash on hand January 1st, 1904.....	\$ 18,008.78
J. J. Crowder	72,348.65
Fred. Olander.....	3,331.81
Improvement Bonds	48,850.00
Crescent Stone Co.....	1,000.00
Alley block No. 43, Hale's addition.....	4.50
Barber Asphalt Company.....	448.84 \$143,987.58

EXPENDITURES.

Special Fund—Scrip Paid.....	\$ 126,851.52
Rebate—Scrip Paid.....	2,908.49
Cash on hand January 1st, 1905.....	14,227.57 \$143,987.58

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts of General Fund.....	\$ 588,828.15
Receipts of Special Fund.....	143,987.58
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	\$732,810.73

Expenditures General Fund.....	\$ 559,682.49
Expenditures Special Fund.....	129,760.01
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	\$689,442.50

Receipts Over Expenditures, General Fund...\$ 29,140.66	
Receipts Over Expenditures, Special Fund... 14,227.57	
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	\$43,368.23

Respectfully submitted,
Wm. P. GAUSS,
City Treasurer.

FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR 1904.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen
of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith to your honorable body the annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1904, being my second annual report and the twenty-ninth of the paid fire department of the City of Peoria.

HOSE IN SERVICE.

We have at the present time the following amount of hose in service:

- 20,200 feet of 2½-inch Cotton Hose.
 - 12,000 feet of this hose in good condition.
 - 7,000 feet in fair condition.
 - 1,200 feet worn out.
- 2,300 feet of 1-inch chemical hose.
 - 1,300 feet of this hose in good condition.
 - 900 feet in fair condition.
 - 150 feet worn out.
- 1 50-foot section 3-inch rubber hose in good condition.
- 3 25-foot sections 3½-inch rubber hose in good condition.
- 1 22-foot section of 3½-inch cotton hose in good condition.
- 1 16-foot section 4-inch cotton hose in good condition.

During the year we furnishrd the sewer department with 2,050 feet of 2½-inch hose for flushing sewers and 150 feet to the House of Correction. Sold old hose to the amount of \$15.00 and turned money over to Comptroller.

NEW HOSE.

The department will need 3,000 feet 2½-inch hose and 1,000 feet 1-inch chemical hose.

APPARATUS.

There are in service at the present time eight two-horse hose wagons; two combination chemical and hose wagons with fifty gallon chemical tank; one double eighty gallon champion chemical engine; two city service trucks. These trucks are both new; one, No. 1, replaces the old truck that was in service at Holly engine house; the other, No. 3, has been added to the department with a crew of four men, and put in service at No. 4 engine house, 1523 South Adams street. Both these trucks are modern and up-to-date in every way and a very valuable addition to the department. One three-horse eighty-five foot extension aerial truck; one second size Ahren's engine; twelve portable hand chemicals.

Volunteer Companies Nos. 1 and 2, South Peoria, two Howe combination chemicals and hand engine.

Volunteer Company No. 4, one hand hose cart and one four-wheeled hose carriage.

Fire Marshal and Assistant have each been furnished with new buggies during the past year.

IN RESERVE.

One first-class Button engine; one second-class Clapp & Jones engine; one city service truck; two hose carriages; one chief's buggy.

ENGINE HOUSES.

There are ten engine houses occupied by the Fire Department. They are all in good repair, having been repaired and painted during the past year. All they will need during the coming year will be ordinary repairs.

HORSES.

There are thirty-six horses owned by the department; of this number thirty-four are in regular service; two are used as extras. Some of these horses are old and crippled and ought to be disposed of and replaced by young horses. During the year two died; two were traded off for young horses; four were purchased.

FIRE HYDRANTS.

The hydrants have been inspected by the Fire Department and Water Company. They were found in good condition. Total number inspected and counted 1,143.

OVERHEAD WIRES.

In my last report I called your attention to the serious obstruction the department had to contend with in the network of overhead wires in the business center of the city. It is almost impossible to raise ladders to reach the buildings even in daylight much less at night. Something should be done as soon as possible to remedy this evil.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Would recommend that new truck be purchased to replace the No. 2. This truck is old, worn out and out of date and ought to be replaced with a new one. Steamer No. 2 needs repairing. Combination No. 1 and Hose Wagon No. 6 need painting. The balance of the apparatus is in good condition. The department will need 3,000 feet of $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch hose and 1,000 feet chemical hose.

FIRE ALARMS.

There are 168 fire alarm stations; ten engine house gongs; four officers's gongs; fifteen dropper boxes; three public bell strikers; eleven switches for controlling night lights.

VALUE OF REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Real Estate.....	\$111,400.00
Personal Property	67,400.00

FIRE AND ALARMS.

The total of 318 fires and alarms for the year 1904 were attended with a loss on buildings of \$54,349; loss on contents of \$294,795, with an insurance on buildings of \$215,800; insurance on contents of \$1,103,535.

The Dodd & Keifer cattle sheds and cattle loss are not included in city's total, as they are located outside the city.

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURES.

Appropriation for 1904.....	\$76,277.00
Expended.....	76,982.41
Overdrawn.....	\$ 705.41

CONCLUSION.

My acknowledgments are hereby tendered to his Honor, the Mayor, and Commissioners, the Honorable City Council and Committee on Fire Department, for courteous treatment and support.

To the officers and members of the Department, I wish to extend my thanks for their strict attention to duty.

Respectfully submitted.

T. N. WÖRM,
Fire Marshal.

SCHEDULE

Of Real Estate and Personal Property of Peoria Fire Department.

REAL ESTATE.

Central Engine House and Lots.....	\$ 20,000.00
Holly Engine House and Lots.....	15,000.00
Hose House No. 3 and Lots.....	9,000.00
Hose House No. 4 and Lot.....	6,000.00
Hose House No. 5 and Lots.....	7,000.00
Hose House No. 6 and Lots.....	6,000.00
Engine House No. 7 and Lots.....	18,000.00
Hose House No. 8 and Lot.....	8,400.00
Hook and Ladder House No. 3 and Lot.....	6,000.00
Combination House No. 1 and Lot.....	8,500.00
Combination House No. 2 and Lot.....	8,500.00
Volunteer Company No. 2, House and Lot.....	1,500.00
Volunteer Company No. 4, House and Lot.....	2,000.00
Total value of Real Estate.....	\$111,400.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph System.....	\$ 20,000.00
Hose Co. No. 1.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 2.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 3.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 4.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 5.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 6.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 7.....	2,100.00
Hose Co. No. 8.....	2,100.00
Chemical Co. No. 1	2,800.00
Combination Co. No. 1.....	3,000.00
Combination Co. No. 2.....	3,000.00
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1.....	3,000.00
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2.....	3,000.00
Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3.....	3,000.00
Steamer Co. No. 1.....	3,500.00
Steamer Co. No. 2	2,000.00
Steamer Co. No. 3.....	2,000.00
Volunteer Co. Nos. 1 and 2	2,000.00
Volunteer Co. No. 4.....	1,000.00
Extra Horses, Wagons, etc.....	1,000.00
Fire Marshal's Horses and Buggy	800.00
Assistant's Fire Marshal's Horse and buggy!....	600.00
Total value perronal property	\$ 67,400.00

DEATHS.

Harry W. Palmer, a retired member of the department, died July 18, 1904. Appointed to department as pipeman on Chemical No. 1, December 31, 1896. Retired and placed on pension roll September 18, 1901.

Albert W. Miller, a retired member of the department, died October 5, 1904. Appointed to department as hoseman August 18, 1885. Retired and placed on pension roll May 1, 1904. Was Captain of Combination No. 2 at time of retirement.

RETIRED.

Philip C. Distler, pipeman Combination No. 2, appointed to department March 20, 1896. Retired and placed on pension roll December 1, 1904.

SALARIES FOR 1904.

Fire Marshal.....	\$ 1,500.00
Assistant Marshal	1,200.00
Engineers of Steamers.....	960.00
Captains of Companies.....	840.00
Stokers of Steamers.....	780.00
Pipemen	780.00
Hosemen	780.00
Tillermen	780.00
Ladermen	780.00
Drivers.....	780.00
Relief Men.....	780.00

FORCE OF THE DEPARTMENT. (Uniformed)

Fire Marshal.....	1
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	1
Engineers of Steamers.....	3
Captains of Companies.....	12
Pipemen, Truckmen, Stokers.....	28
Drivers	15
Relief Men.....	11

ORGANIZATION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**T. N. WORM, Fire Marshal.
E. J. SIPES, Assistant Marshal.**

HEADQUARTERS, CITY HALL.

Steamer Company No. 1—620 Knoxville Avenue.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
D. E. Connell.....	Engineer.....	309 Linn St.
B. J. Scanlon.....	Stoker.....	419 George St.
W. E. Crawford.....	Driver.....	314 Knoxville Ave.

Hose Company No. 1—203 Jackson Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. P. Lyons.....	Captain	710 Lincoln Ave.
F. A. Hadly.....	Pipeman	709 N. Monroe St.
Carl Eichenberger.....	Hoseman	703 Wayne St.
F. M. Phillips.....	Driver.....	114 Jackson St.

Hose Company No. 2—800 Prairie Avenue.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
C. C. Wonder	Captain and Engineer..	106 Warner Ave.
J. P. Lynch	Pipeman	1311 First Ave.
Jas. Cody	Hoseman.....	1009 First Ave.
F. B. Poorman.....	Driver.....	900 Sanford St.

Hose Company No. 3—1515 Main Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
T. F. Fitzpatrick.....	Captain.....	108 N. University Pl.
H. L. Davis.....	Pipeman.....	924 Fisher St.
W. M. Bergan.....	Hoseman.....	422 College St.
P. E. Langan.....	Driver.....	122 N. Douglas St.

Hose Company No. 4—1521 S. Adams Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
C. E. Tobin.....	Captain and Engineer..	808 Hurlburt St.
C. Moeller.....	Pipeman	207 Lincoln Ave.
C. J. Kelly.....	Hoseman.....	247 Wiswall St.
A. Finke	Driver.....	819 Warner Ave.

Hose Company No. 5—1325 N. Adams St.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. D. McBride	Captain	1208 N. Adams St.
J. C. May.....	Pipeman.....	702 Laveille St.
Wm. Rogers.....	Hoseman.....	1334 N. Adams St.
G. F. Day.....	Driver.....	807 N. Washington St.

Hose Company No. 6—2108 South Adams Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
W. F. Shephard.....	Captain	2019 S. Adams St.
Geo. Schmidt.....	Pipeman.....	125 Louisa St.
Chas. Newman.....	Hoseman.....	317 S. Park Ave.
Wm. Pfeiffer.....	Driver.....	

Hose Company No. 7—620 Knoxville Avenue.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
B. F. Butler	Captain	103 Atlantic Ave.
Jas. Hazzard	Pipeman.....	208 Dechman Ave.
G. H. Hadly.....	Hoseman.....	915 Glendale Ave.
E. J. VanTassel	Driver.....	408 Linn St.

Hose Company No. 8—Corner Smith and Webster.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
C. Connors.....	Captain	708 Howett St.
M. Gibbons.....	Pipeman	715 Smith St.
W. J. Neill.....	Hoseman.....	716 Millman St.
W. T. Whalen.....	Driver.....	127 Steubenville St.

Chemical Company No. 1—201 Jackson St.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
Chas. Gillman	Captain	408 N. Adams St.
M. J. Gorman.....	Pipeman	514 Hancock St.
W. H. Dempsey.....	Driver.....	822 N. Adams St.

Combination Company No. 1—Corner Starr and Chandler.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
P. J. Emunds.....	Captain	110 Sumner Ave.
A. R. Tendering.....	Pipeman	327 Chicago St.
F. M. Herscherger.....	Hoseman	322 Fishgate St.
Chas. Beigler.....	Driver.....	327 Fishgate St.

Combination Company No. 2—Corner Wisconsin and Kansas.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. A. Warner.....	Captain	508 Wisconsin Ave.
J. A. Albert.....	Pipeman	1201 E. Nebraska Ave.
F. Larson.....	Hoseman	418 New York Ave.
G. A. Beebe.....	Driver.....	803 Kansas Ave.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 1—300 Prairie, corner Sanford.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. J. Schuch.....	Captain.....	1507 Prairie Avenue.
Jacob Hertz.....	Tillerman.....	121 Brotherson St.
W. R. Frye.....	Ladderman	305 Spencer St.
S. L. Cornelius.....	Driver.....	408 Steubenville St.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 2—205 Jackson Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. A. Keely.....	Captain.....	106 Charlton St.
Wm. Roth.....	Tillerman	822 N. Adams St.
W. M. Kenny.....	Ladderman	737 Jackson St.
W. H. Lyons	Driver.....	516 N. Adams St.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 3—1523 S. Adams Street.

Name.	Position.	Residence.
J. A. Sutter.....	Captain.....	204 McReynolds St.
F. E. Derby.....	Tillerman.....	205 Linden Ave.
W. R. O'Neill.....	Ladderman.....	102 Perry Ave.
Jas. Hamann.....	Driver.....	1305 Howett St.

Relief Men.

Name.	Position.	Residence,
T. J. Finnell.....	Relief.....	107 S. Bourland Ave.
J. O. Davis.....	Relief.....	108 Fourth Ave.
E. C. Mercer.....	Relief.....	401 Steubenville St.
W. J. Scanlon.....	Relief.....	602 Johnson St.
C. B. Ludwig.....	Relief.....	1604 S. Adams St.
H. Pulsipher	Relief.....	216 VanBuren St.
I. H. Neyberg.....	Relief.....	421 Gallatin St.
D. F. Barnett.....	Relief.....	1200 Perry Ave.
A. H. Pape.....	Relief.....	409 Franklin St.
T. L. Granblich.....	Relief.....	323 Howett St.
Tom Hodges.....	Relief.....	611 Perry Ave.

Hitching Record and Inspection of Department, November 3, 1904.

Time made by different companies. Three hitches from stalls; three hitches team on floor; three hitches from bed. Run to hydrant, lay 100 feet hose, put on branch pipe, throw water; time taken from tap of gong till water shows at nozzle.

Chemical Company No. 1.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 6 1-5, 7, 5; hitch on floor, 1 1-5, 1 3-5, 2; hitch from bed, 12, 12, 9 4-5.

Hose Company No. 1.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 6, 5 2-5, 4 2-5; hitch on floor, 2 1-5, 2, 1 2-5; hitch from bed, 12, 12, 11; run to hydrant, throw water, 27 1-5 seconds.

Hose Company No. 2.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 3 4-5; 4, 4; hitch on floor, 1 2-5, 1, 1 2-5; hitch from bed, 9 1-5, 12 1-5, 8 1-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 38 2-5 seconds.

Hose Company No. 3.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 8 4-5, 8 2-5, 7; hitch on floor, 8, 1 2-5, 3; hitch from bed, 13 1-5, 11 2-5, 11 3-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 46 2-5 seconds.

Hose Company No. 4.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 4 3-5; 5, 5; hitch on floor, 1 2-5, 1 3-5, 1; hitch from bed, 13 4-5, 10 4-5, 10; run to hydrant, throw water, 32 1-5 seconds.

Hose Company No. 5.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 5 4-5; 6, 8 4-5; hitch on floor, 1 2-5, 1 3-5, 6 1-5; hitch from bed, 16 1-5, 18 1-5, 15; run to hydrant, throw water, 48 seconds.

Hose Company No. 6.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 4, 5, 4; hitch on floor, 1, 1, 1; hitch from bed, 12, 11 2-5, 10 1-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 38 seconds.

Hose Company No. 7.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 8, 9, 8 3-5; hitch on floor, 8 2-5, 2, 4; hitch from bed, 12 4-5, 12 1-5, 11 3-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 50 seconds.

Hose Company No. 8.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 6, 6, 6; hitch on floor, 1 3-5, 1, 1 1-5; hitch from bed, 12, 13, 11 4-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 33 3-5 seconds.

Combination Company No. 1.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 5, 8 2-5, 8 2-5; hitch on floor, 1 4-5, 1 2-5, 2; hitch from bed, 11, 11, 13; run to hydrant, throw water, 31 3-5 seconds.

Combination Company No. 2.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 6, 6 2-5, 6 4-5; hitch on floor, 2 1-5, 4 2-5, 2; hitch from bed, 13, 16 2-5, 14 2-5; run to hydrant, throw water, 50 seconds.

Truck Company No. 1.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 4, 8 1-5, 4 1-5; hitch on floor, 1 1-5, 1 1-5, 2 3-5; hitch from bed, 9 1-5, 11, 9.

Truck Company No. 2, Three Horses.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 12 2-5, 12, 13; hitch on floor, 4, 2 3-5, 2; hitch from bed, 13 4-5, 18, 18.

Truck Company No. 3.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 5 4-5, 5, 5 1-5; hitch on floor, 1 1-5, 1, 1; hitch from bed, 9, 10, 8.

Steamer Company No. 1.—Hitch from stalls, seconds, 9, 8, 8 3-5; hitch on floor, 1 4-5, 1 3-5, 1 2-5; hitch from bed, 15, 21, 12.

REPORT

Events During 1904.

Number of alarms answered, number
by { }h company, feet of hose laid,

Worked	Minutes	Feet of 2½-in. hose laid.	Feet of 1-in. hose laid	Feet of ladder used	Gallons of 3½-inch hose	Gallons of fluid used
10	25	30,850				
		31,850				
11	30	19,550				
		32,700	1,500	324		
12	25	11,050				
		20,000				
13	39	14,700				
		900	7,250	96	2,560	
14	45		10,050	1,500	204	300
			6,850	2,150	102	306
15	15					
16	10					
17	25					
18	25					
19	45					
20	45					

ROUTE OF THE RAILROADS AND EQUIPMENT.

Steamer Company No. 1.

1 team horses, black and gray.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 pair horse blankets.
Second size Ahrens engine.
2 9-foot rubber spiral suction, 4-inch.
1 12-foot cotton suction, 4-inch.
2 branch pipes; 5 tips; 1 hydrant wrench; 1 shovel, 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 1—

1 team gray horses.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 2-horse hose wagon.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 1 portable extinguisher; 3 branch pipes; 1 axe; 2 hose lighters; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 American smoke mask; 1 hydrant wrench; 1 leather bucket, 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 wagon cover; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 2—

1 team bay horses.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 2-horse hose wagon.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 2 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe; 2 hose lighters; 1 American smoke mask; 100 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 2 hydrant wrenches; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 1 rubber bucket; 1 wagon cover; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 3—

1 team brown horses.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 2-horse hose wagon, roller bearing.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 2 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 hydrant wrench; 1 axe; 2 hose lighters; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 1 American smoke mask; 80 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 1

leather bucket; 1 portable extinguisher; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 25-foot extension ladder; 1 11-foot roof ladder; 1 wagon cover; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 4—

1 team horses, black and gray.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 2-horse hose wagon, roller bearing, rubber tires.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 2 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe, 1 hydrant wrench; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 100 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 1 American smoke mask; 2 hose lighters; 1 hose clamp; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 wagon cover; 1 leather bucket; 1 14-inch alarm gong; whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 5—

1 team horses, black and gray.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 2-horse hose wagon, ball bearing, rubber tires.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet, $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 3 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe; 1 hydrant wrench; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 American smoke mask; 100 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 2 hose lighters; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 2 lanterns and hangers; 1 wagon cover; 1 14-inch alarm gong, 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 6—

1 team horses, brown.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 two-horse hose wagon.
1 pair horse blankets.
2,000 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 3 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe; 1 hydrant wrench; 2 hose lighters; 1 pair insulated wire-cutters; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 wagon cover; 1 American smoke mask; 1 rubber bucket; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 75 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hose Company No. 7—

1 team horses, black and sorrel.
1 double set swinging harness.

1 2-horse hose wagon.**1 pair horse blankets.****2,100 feet 2½-inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 3 branch pipes; 2 hydrant wrenches; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 American smoke mask; 1 leather bucket; 40 feet ½-inch rope; 1 wagon cover; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.****Hose Company No. 8—****1 team horses, bay and sorrel.****1 double set swinging harness.****1 2-horse hose wagon, roller bearing.****1 pair horse blankets.****2,000 feet 2½-inch cotton hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 2 branch pipes; 3 spanners and spanner belts; 1 axe; 1 hydrant wench; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 2 hose lighters; 1 leather bucket; 1 wagon cover; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 14-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.****Combination Company No. 1—****1 team horses, bay and gray.****1 double set swinging harness.****1 pair horse blankets.****1 2-horse combination chemical and hose wagon; 50-gallon chemical tank; 2,000 feet 2½-inch cotton hose; 500 feet 1-inch chemical hose; 2 2½-inch branch pipes; 1 1-inch nozzle; 3 tips; 1 24-foot extension ladder; 1 18-foot roof ladder; 1 portable extinguisher; 2 pike poles; 2 axes; 1 crowbar; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 100 feet ½-inch rope; 2 hose lighters; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 hydrant wrench; 5 spanners and spanner belts; 1 leather bucket; 2 acid jars; 2 soda sacks; 1 reducer; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 wagon cover; 1 14-inch alarm gong; whip and socket.****Combination Company No. 2—****1 team horses, black and white.****1 double set swinging harness.****1 pair horse blankets.****1 2-horse combination chemical hose wagon, roller bearing; 50-gallon chemical tank; 2,150 feet 2½-inch cotton hose; 500 feet 1-inch chemical hose; 2 2½-inch branch pipes; 1 1-inch nozzle; 1 24-foot extension ladder; 1 18-foot roof ladder; 2 portable extinguishers; 2 pike poles; 2 axes; 1 crowbar; 1 pair insulated wire cutters; 100 feet ½-inch rope; 2 hose lighters; 1 hydrant wrench;**

1 cylinder wrench; 5 spanners and spanner belts; 2 acid jars; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 2 soda sacks; 1 leather bucket; 1 reducer; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 wagon cover; 1 14-inch alarm gong; whip and socket.

Chemical Company No. 1—

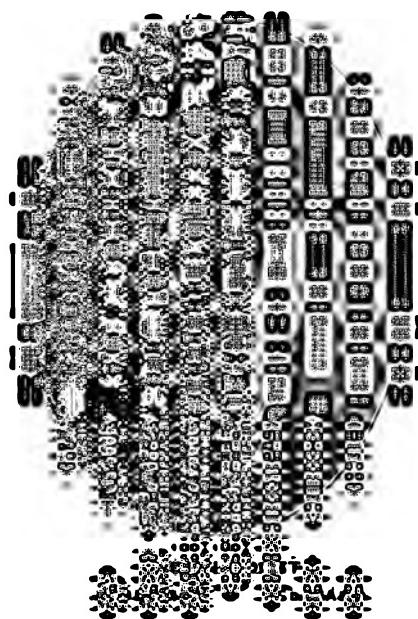
1 team bay horses.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 pair horse blankets.
1 double 80-gallon Champion chemical engine.
500 feet 1-inch chemical hose; 1 nozzle; 3 tips; 2 14-foot ladders; 2 pike poles; 1 axe; 1 crowbar; 1 hydrant wrench; 1 cylinder wrench; 4 acid jars; 2 soda sacks; 1 reducer; 1 American smoke mask; 5 spanners and spanner belts; 3 aluminum fire helmets; 100 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 2 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 rubber bucket; 1 15-inch alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 1—

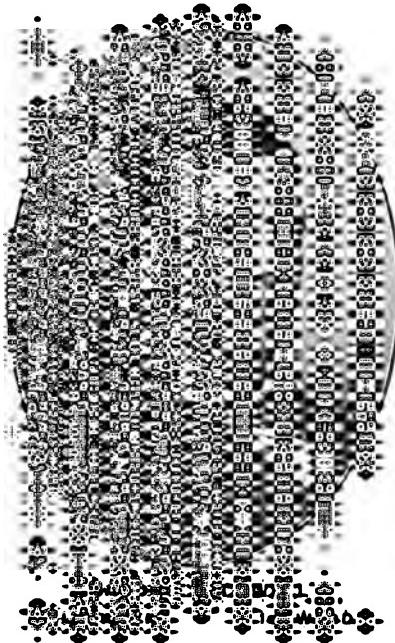
1 team gray horses.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 pair horse blankets.
1 American La France, roller bearing, city service truck, new.
1 50-foot portable extension ladder; 1 35-foot portable extension ladder; 1 26-foot single; 1 24-foot, 1 18-foot, 1 15-foot roof ladder; 1 12-foot roof; 1 9-foot extension; 8 fire hooks; 2 wall picks; 2 3-gallon extinguishers; 4 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 pair side seat reflector lamps; 4 rubber buckets; 1 battering ram; 1 pull-down hook with pole and chain; 1 hub cap wrench; 1 monkey wrench; 2 brooms; 6 hay forks; 4 axes; 1 door opener; 1 insulated wire cutter; 2 crowbars; 2 shovels; 3 pitchforks; 1 Bresnan nozzle; 200 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch rope; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 100 feet 1-inch rope; 6 pike poles; 1 tin roof cutter; 1 16-foot section 4-inch hose; 1 50-foot section 1-inch hose; 1 Eastman deluge set, Siamese connections; 1 8-inch branch pipe, $1\frac{1}{4}$, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch tips; 1 $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch branch pipe; 5 spanners and spanner belts; 2 ladder braces; 2 hose leak stops; 1 Vajan Bader smoke protector; 1 11-inch rotary alarm gong; 1 whip and socket.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 2, Aerial—

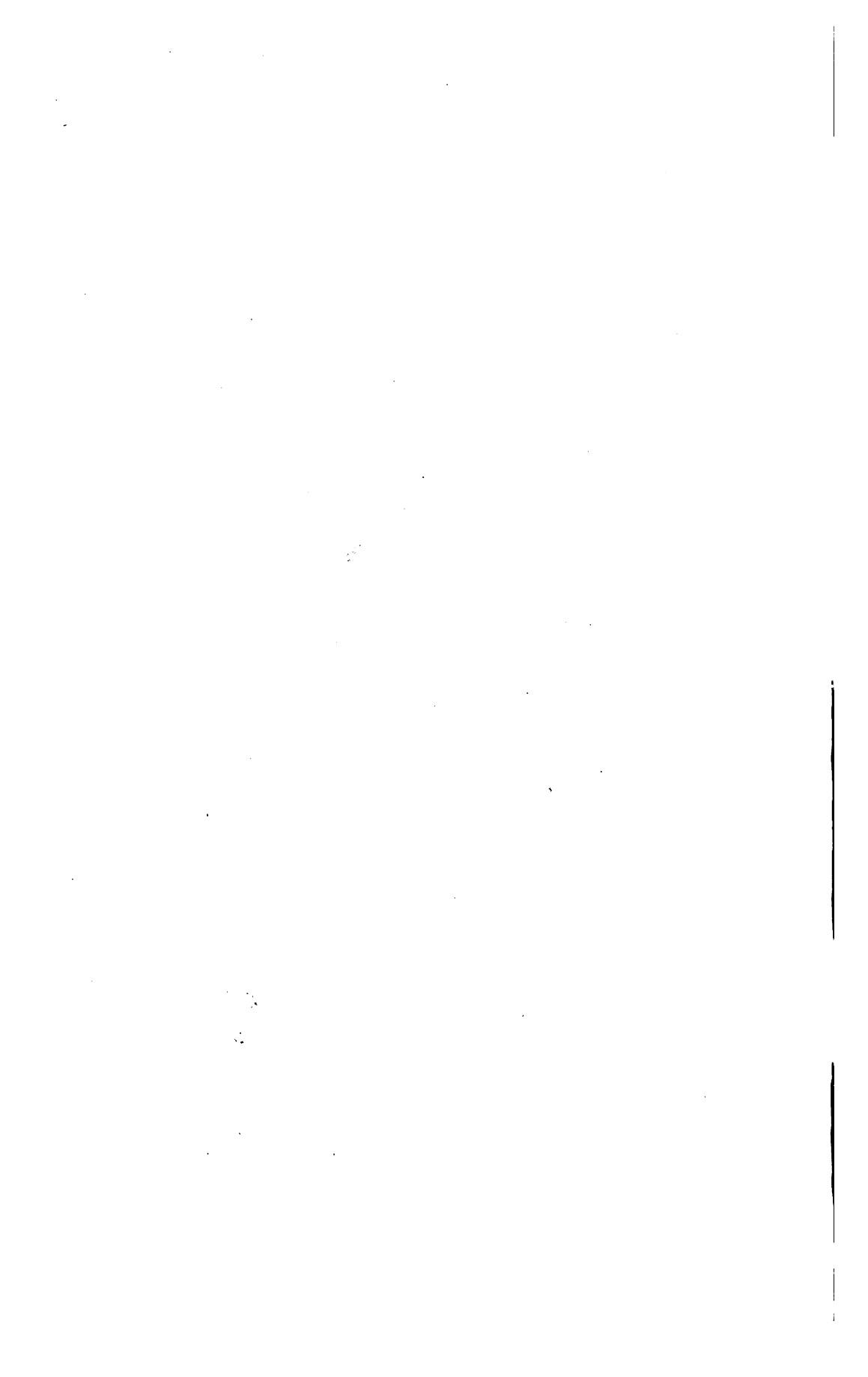
3 horses, grays.
Swinging harness.
3 pair horse blankets.
1 85-foot aerial extension ladder; 1 45-foot portable extension; 1 35-foot, 1 25 foot, 1 18-foot, 1 14-foot, 1 12-foot, 1 16-foot roof ladder;



DAVID S. LONG
CLERK
2D WARD



JOHN W. FARDON
CLERK
5TH WARD



7 pike poles; 1 pair support poles; water turret with 5 tips, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$, 2, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch; 1 life-saving net; 1 22-foot section 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 2 25-foot sections 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rubber hose; 1 3-way Siamese; 1 2-way Siamese; 1 50-foot section 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch hose; 1 Cooper hose patch; 1 large branch pipe, tips 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch; 1 cellar and attic pipe; 8 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch branch pipes; 1 Detroit door opener; 3 axes; 2 crowbars; 4 pitchforks; 4 brooms; 2 shovels; 4 Eclipse lanterns and hangers; 1 large insulated wire cutter; 1 maul; 1 tin roof cutter; 5 hay forks; 75 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 75 feet 1-inch rope; 2 steamer connections; 1 pair pliers; 1 American smoke mask; 1 leather bucket; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 4 spanners and belts; 1 15-inch alarm gong; whip and socket.

Hook and Ladder Company No. 3—

1 team horses, bay and sorrel.
1 double set swinging harness.
1 pair horse blankets.
1 Seagrave, roller-bearing city service truck, new; 1 56-foot portable extension ladder; 1 40-foot extension ladder; 1 26-foot wall ladder; 1 24-foot, 1 18-foot, 1 15-foot roof ladder; 1 12-foot roof ladder; 1 9-9 inside extension ladder; 1 50-foot section 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch hose; Siamese connection; 1 large branch pipe, tips, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch; 2 5-gallon extinguishers; 4 lanterns and hangers; 4 axes and scabbards; 1 door opener; 1 insulated wire cutter; 1 tin roof cutter; 4 rubber buckets; 1 crowbar; 2 shovels; 2 pitchforks; 2 brooms; 6 hay hooks; 100 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope; 2 16-foot pike poles; 2 12-foot, 1 8-foot plaster hook; 1 Bresnan revolving nozzle; 4 aluminum fire helmets; 1 American smoke mask; 1 hydrant wrench; 3 spanners and belts; 1 12-inch locomotive alarm bell; whip and socket.

Volunteer Companies Nos. 1 and 2, South Peoria—

2 combination Howe chemical hand engines.
2 hand hose carts.
800 feet 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 2 branch pipes; 6 spanners; 2 hydrant wrenches.

Volunteer Company No. 4—

1 2-wheeled hand hose cart.
1 4-wheeled hand hose carriage.
1 hand engine.
1,000 feet 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cotton hose; 2 branch pipes; 4 spanners and belts;
1 hydrant wrench.

Boot and Shoe stores	2
Barns	15
Bonded warehouses.....	1
Butcher shop.....	1
Blacksmith shop.....	1
Bakery.....	1
Barber shop.....	1
Confectionery stores	3
Church.....	1
Clothing store	1
Cordage Works.....	1
Commission house	1
Club house	1
Coal chute.....	1
Coal pile.....	1
Carpenter shop.....	1
Cigar factory.....	1
Chicken house.....	1
Coal vault.....	1
Cooper shops.....	4
Dental parlors.....	1
Distillery dry houses.....	3
Distillery.....	1
Dwellings	107
Drug stores—retail	5
Drug stores—wholesale	1
Flat cars	3
Freight cars.....	4
Furniture stores.....	4
Freight office.....	1
Grocery stores.....	9
Grass and weeds.....	11
Grocery and meat market.....	1
General store.....	1
Gas house.....	1
Hotels	3
Hay stacks	2
Hardware store.....	1
Hair dressing parlor.....	1
Iron foundries.....	4
Lumber yards.....	3
Livery stables.....	2
Manure pile.....	1
Newspaper bazaar.....	2
Oil house.....	1

Old hay.....	2
Old railroad ties.....	1
Old lumber.....	2
Office	1
Planing mills.....	3
Pitch kettle	1
Plumbing shop	1
Pump house.....	1
Packing house.....	1
Rubbish.....	21
Restaurant	3
Rooming house.....	1
Saloons	8
Schools	2
Soap factory	1
Store house	1
Shooting gallery.....	1
Sheds	16
Sanitarium	1
Store and office building.....	1
Tent	1
Vacant building.....	1
Water tank.....	1

Classification of Buildings in Which Fires Originated During 1904.

1 story frame.....	35
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -story frame	3
2 story frame.....	112
3 story frame	5
4 story frame	1
11 story frame and iron.....	1
1 story brick	3
2 story brick	25
3 story brick	20
4 story brick	6

Other Than Building Fires.

Sheds	17
Lumber yards.....	3
Old lumber.....	2
Chicken house.....	1
Awnings.....	3
Picture film.....	1
Freight cars.....	2

Number of fires and alarms, 36. Loss on buildings, \$8,487. Loss on contents, \$3,475. Insurance on buildings, \$62,900. Insurance on contents, \$13,400.

Number of fires and alarms, 28. Loss on buildings, \$7,478. Loss on contents, \$7,395; insurance on contents, \$81,290.

Time	Date	Address	Description	Value	Condition	Loss	Value	Condition	Loss
22	12:28 a.m.	Still	1602 S. Washington	\$5	Rubbish	No loss	Sparks	Distillery	No loss
22	1:45 p.m.	Still	Foot Lick	rubbish	3 st. frame	304	John C. Weber	Same	1,500
24	8:00 p.m.	Still	1212 N. Adams	.....	2 st. brick	458	R. Newsam	Furnace	800
26	1:02 p.m.	98	204 Bigelow	.....	2 st. frame	1,000	R. J. Calvin	Dwelling	.....
26	11:55 a.m.	315	521 S. Adams	.....	c'rd wries	No loss	Crossed wires	Furnace	.....
28	8:10 p.m.	Still	625 Ferry	.....	2 st. frame	65	Same	Grocery	800
29	9:31 p.m.	87	.....	.....	.....	60	Unknown	Unknown	1,000

Number of fires and alarms, 17. Loss on buildings, \$1,715; loss on contents, \$2,315. Insurance on buildings, \$4,900; insurance on contents, \$6,400.

Date	Time	Location	Description	Value	Insured
18	10:30 p.m.	Still	Shed	\$15	W. Shaw
19	4:00 p.m.	Still	1221 Glen Oak	100	Mrs. McMasters
19	2:30 p.m.	Still	411 Brotherson	100	Amoit
23	10:11 a.m.	85	504 State	100	Ben Harris
24	6:10 p.m.	Still	1415 S. Adams	100	V. D. Rousseau
25	2:15 p.m.	147	701 N. Adams	100	D. Smith
			2 st. frame	5	Dwelling
			2 st. frame	10	Defective fire
			2 st. frame	5	Grocery
			2 st. frame	10	Match
			2 st. frame	10	Dwelling
			2 st. frame	10	Sparks, root
			2 st. frame	10	Drug store
			2 st. frame	No loss	Barn
			2 st. frame	No loss	A. E. Grieser
			Gasoline stove	No loss	Barn

Number of fires and alarms, 28. Loss on buildings, \$20,716; loss on contents, \$207,875. Insurance on buildings, \$24,200; insurance on contents, \$688,580.

Incident No.	Date	Time	Address	Description	Occupant	Condition	Loss
21	7-16	7:30 p.m.	215 S. Washington	1 st. frame.	C. P. King estate.	Capato Sparks	No loss
22	7-16	7:30 a.m.	12 S. Adams	3 st. brick.	J. Scardzki	Foundry	9,000
22	7-16	7:30 a.m.	33 S. Adams	3 st. brick.	Edward Jack.	General alarm	22,000
22	7-16	7:30 a.m.	12 S. Adams	3 st. brick.	Wm. H. Carroll	From 215	18,000
22	7-16	7:30 a.m.	12 S. Adams	3 st. brick.	E. C. Burset	Clothing st.	1,810
23	7-16	5:04 p.m.	809 Fourth	2 st. frame.	A. B. Weers	Smoke	.....
23	7-16	5:04 p.m.	809 S. Adams	2 st. frame.	Wm. Johnson	Br & Sh. at	.....
23	7-16	5:04 p.m.	1224 a.m.	1224 a.m.	F. C. Burset	Unknown	900
27	7-16	12:24 a.m.	1212 S. Adams	2 st. frame.	Same	Gro-store	200
28	7-16	2:20 p.m.	156 W. Johnson	2 st. frame.	Wm. Kendall	Dwelling	1,200
30	7-16	2:20 p.m.	156 W. Johnson	2 st. frame.	Gasoline Stove	.....	9,000
30	7-16	5:14 p.m.	1216 Antoinette	2 st. frame.	.....	.....	4,000
30	7-16	5:14 p.m.	2411 Antoinette	2 st. frame.	.....	.....	9,000

Number of fires and alarms 22. **Loss on buildings**, \$10,167; loss on contents, \$24,715. **Insurance on buildings**, \$27,500; insurance on contents, \$75,400.

Time	Location	Description	Value
21	5:20 p.m.	Still 720 Webster.....	\$3,428
21	5:20 p.m.	Still 1813 N. Jefferson.....	\$3,428
24	3:15 p.m.	94 1813 N. Jefferson.....	\$3,428
25	8:05 a.m.	Still 1810 S. Adams.....	\$3,428
26	9:38 a.m.	106 South.....	\$3,428
26	4:24 p.m.	116 2002-4 S. Adams.....	\$3,428
27	4:30 a.m.	Still 100 Blk N. Washington.....	\$3,428
28	11:24 p.m.	138 319 S. Adams.....	\$3,428
28	11:24 p.m.	136 313-17 S. Adams.....	\$3,428
31	9:46 p.m.	149 3 st. brick.....	\$3,428
		No loss.....	\$3,428
		All vehicles.....	\$3,428
		Old Store.....	\$3,428
		Frontier.....	\$3,428
		Temp. Explosion.....	\$3,428
		Diamond.....	\$3,428
		Gro. Store.....	\$3,428
		Rubbish.....	\$3,428
		Set.....	\$3,428
		Livery sta.....	\$3,428
		Geo. Sick.....	\$3,428
		Dropped Matches.....	\$3,428
		Com. house.....	\$3,428
		Dropped Matches.....	\$3,428
		Rubbish.....	\$3,428
		Set.....	\$3,428
		Fur. store.....	\$3,428
		Unknown.....	\$3,428
		From 319.....	\$3,428
		Far. store.....	\$3,428
		Schipper & Block.....	\$3,428
		F. H. Steele.....	\$3,428
		False alarm.....	\$3,428

Number of fires and alarms, 33. Loss on buildings, \$3,428; loss on contents, \$3,598. Insurance on buildings, \$24,800; insurance on contents, \$207,490.

Recapitulation

Total number of fires and alarms from January 1, 1904, to December 31, 1904.....	318
Total Loss	\$ 349,144.00
Total Insurance.....	1,319,385.00

Estimated Loss and Insurance involved on buildings and contents per month during the year ending December 31, 1904:

	Loss on Buildings	Loss on Contents	Insurance on Buildings	Insurance on Contents
January	\$ 3,467	\$ 3,475	\$22,900	\$ 13,400
February	7,395	37,478	22,600	61,200
March	828	793	33,000	5,800
April	2,085	644	22,300	3,700
May	1,715	2,315	4,900	6,400
June	20,716	207,875	24,200	688,590
July	443	9,885	6,600	28,795
August.....	1,163	150	10,500	1,050
September.....	10,167	24,715	27,500	75,400
October	3,423	5,599	24,600	207,400
November	1,982	866	6,200	2,300
December	965	1,000	10,500	10,000

CITY COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1904.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council
of the City of Peoria, Illinois.*

GENTLEMEN:—I submit herewith for your consideration, my annual report as City Collector for the year ending December 31st, 1904.

The following table shows the amount collected during the year on each warrant, on assessments made prior to the year 1904:

Warrant No.	Improvement	Amount Collected
91	Bigelow St.....	\$ 598.66
92	Ravine Ave. (Knoxville to Indiana).....	329.54
93	Ravine Ave. (Indiana to Wisconsin).....	90.10
95	South Adams St. (South to Western)	374.54
96	North Adams St. (Spring to Cornhill).....	159.66
97	Perry Ave. Sewer.....	51.63
98	South Madison St. (Fulton to Franklin).....	346.06
99	South Elizabeth St. (Moss to Windom).....	415.85
100	South Elizabeth St. (Windom to Main).....	13.42
101	Perry Ave. (Cornhill to Abington).....	1,617.78
102	Callender Ave.....	847.18
103	Ayres Ave.....	491.11
104	Fredonia	904.82
105	Malvern	522.96
106	North St.	1,287.53
107	LaSalle Ave.....	183.78
108	Dechman Ave.....	935.87
109	Indiana Ave. (Glen Oak to Pennsylvania).....	26.88
110	Indiana Ave. (Pennsylvania to Ravine).....	472.52
111	South Adams St. (Lincoln Ave. to South).....	595.09
113	South Adams St. (Cedar to Lincoln Ave.).....	45.14
114	Cooper and Sherman	451.00
115	University St. (Bradley to Barker).....	114.47
116	Bradley Ave	392.23

the year. During the other nine months the Collector has little to do, but he must keep the office open for the accommodation of the public. I suggest, therefore, that the duties of the City Collector could be performed by the City Treasurer, without an assistant or deputy, except possibly for three months of each year, thus saving the salary now paid one official. Respectfully submitted,

J. J. CROWDER,
City Collector.

CITY ELECTRICIAN'S REPORT.

To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to present herewith the annual report of the Electrical Department for the year ending December 31st, 1904:

Extensions and Improvements.

Four new fire alarm boxes were added to the system during the year, namely: Nos. 165, 228, 226 and 241. Box No. 5 was moved from the corner of Monroe and Fayette to the Grand Opera House. Two new police boxes were added, located as follows: At the corner of Elizabeth and Nebraska, and at Peoria and Arcadia.

Equipment.

Number of police boxes and booths.....	58
Number of private boxes.....	7
Number of street fire alarm boxes.....	79
Number of telephone stations	32
Number of fire alarm gongs.....	13
Number of public bell strikers.....	3
Number of electric door openers	16
Manual transmitter	1
Automatic repeater (eight circuits)	1
Switch board (combination storage battery, twelve circuits).....	1
Patrol operator's table (four circuits)	1
Police registers (chemical type)	4

One hundred and fifty-two miles of hard drawn copper wire strung on poles.

Value of Equipment.

Police System	\$14,550.00
Fire Alarm System.....	28,988.00
Horse, Wagon and Tools and Supplies.....	295.00

Police Reports, Fire Alarms, Wagon and Ambulance Calls.

Number of reports received from patrolmen.....	190,853
Number of calls received for wagon	1,999
Number of miles traveled by wagon	3,949 4-12
Number of prisoners carried by wagon	1,991
Number of prisoners taken by wagon to house of correction.	411
Number of calls responded to by ambulance.	1,574

Number of miles traveled by ambulance	\$ 5,272
Number of patients taken to hospital	905
Number of patients taken home	507
Number of patients brought to station	34
Number of patients taken to depot	97
Number of fire alarms from street boxes	180
Number of fire alarms from patrol stations	41
Number of fire alarms received from telephone	2

The patrol box at the corner of Perry and Laveille Streets was moved to the alley on Laveille between Monroe and Perry, the box at Adams and Franklin and the one at Oak and Adams to the alley on Oak between Adams and Warner.

In my report last year I recommended that money be appropriated to make necessary repairs to our police and fire alarm lines, and no provision being made for it I was obliged to use the money provided for new boxes and extensions for this purpose. We renewed about two hundred and fifty cross arms and made other necessary repairs, getting over about one-third of the system.

We also had necessary carpenter repairs made on twenty-five patrol booths, and it is absolutely necessary that they all be painted this year.

We have equipped fifty-six fire alarm boxes with Smith patent key guards, and have guards on hand to furnish the whole system

Recommendations.

I would recommend that in accordance with the resolution adopted October 18th, 1904, that the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars be appropriated for the purpose of placing the city's wires underground.

I would also recommend that engine houses No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 be rewired.

I herewith tender my thanks to the honorable Mayor and Aldermen and all persons directly interested in the success of this department for their kind and courteous treatment.

JOHN D. HALL,
City Electrician.

ELECTRICAL INSPECTIONS.

January, 1904.

Mr. Metzel, 208½ Bridge, 1 arc light.....	\$ 1.00
R. L. Lovett, 800 N. Douglas, 35 lights.....	2.50
C. Feltman, 425 North, 24 lights.....	1.50
F. Greiner, 205 Main, 1-horse power .....	.50
Box & A., 205 Main, 2 motors.....	1.00
Model Milk Co., 534 S. Adams, 8½-horse power.....	2.00
Saratoga Restaurant, 219 Main, 4 lights.....	.50
C. Krause, 100 Montana, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. W. Fardon, 712 Smith, 12 lights.....	1.00
Dr. Nicol, 214 S. Adams, ½-horse power.....	.50
H. Brownscomb, 412 California Ave., 24 lights.....	1.50
E. Sunners, 221 N. Washington, ¼-horse power.....	.50
H. Schoaff, 804 Morton, 32 lights.....	2.50
Mrs. Mage, 222 Bigelow, 32 lights.....	2.50
E. Jacobs, 419 Butler, 17 lights.....	1.50
Isch & Deitwig, 214 S. Washington, 1 arc light	1.00
J. Sheber, 800 Fulton, 5 lights.....	.50
Peoria Fountain Co., 702 S. Adams, 2-horse power.....	1.00
Hart Weigher Co., 100 Eaton, 4 arc lights.....	4.00
C. J. Spurck, 503 Main, 11 lights.....	1.00
H. Jacobs, 825 S. Adams, 8 lights.....	1.00
Peoria Carriage Co., 115 S. Washington, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Wm. Allen, 115 N. Garfield, 15 lights.....	1.00
Reiferschmidt Bros., 108 N. Adams, 5 lights.....	.50
Walden & G., 515 Main, 1-horse power.....	.50
J. T. Charleston, 305 N. McClure, 22 lights	1.50
Wm. Drysdale, 918 Sanford, 17 lights.....	1.50
Wm. Drysdale, 920 Sanford, 17 lights.....	1.50
J. Bahni, The Uplands, 19 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Black, 2133 N. Jefferson, 9 lights	1.00
Peters Bros., 501 S. Washington, 4 lights.....	.50
Reinhardt, 1425 S. Adams, 20 lights.....	1.50
D. S. Kent, 115 Walnut, 8½-horse power.....	2.00
Ryals & Co., 315 Main, 1-horse-power.....	.50
J. V. Botto, 102 Swinnerton, 15 lights.....	1.00
W. E. S. Bunn, 1616 Howett, 10 lights.....	1.00
Mrs. Becker, 112 S. Jefferson, 22-horse power.....	5.00
C. F. Seward, 1923 Main, 5 lights.....	.50
	\$50.50

February, 1904.

T. M. Roby, 413 First, 3 lights.....	\$.50
F. H. Mehl, 1106 S. Adams, 9 lights.....	1.00
Independent Bottling Co., 308 Walnut, 3 h. p.....	1.00
" " " " 5 lights.....	.50
Int. Harvester Co., 120 S. Washington, 8 lights.....	1.00
F. B. Ryals, 415 Main, 28 lights.....	2.50
C. Iber, 404 Butler, 14 lights.....	1.00
B. Warren, 300 N. Elizabeth, 3 lights.....	.50
E. T. Cope, 2623 S. Washington, 5 lights.....	.50
Nash & Cone, 104 N. Jefferson, 12 lights.....	1.00
D. E. Harker, 106 Atlantic St., 14 lights.....	1.00
A. B. Weers, 1213 S. Adams, 3 lights.....	.50
W. H. Darr, 301 First, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
F. Welte, 622 S. Adams, 170 lights.....	5.00
Niagara Hotel, 102-10 S. Jefferson, 700 lights.....	5.00
Dr. Shane, 103 N. Jefferson, Wall Case.....	.50
Mr. Walton, 606 Culter, 4 lights.....	.50
M. Gumbiner, 407 S. Adams, 3 arc.....	3.00
A. W. Davidson, 1007 Glen Oak, 11 lights.....	1.00
B. F. Adams, 118 S. Washington, 2 lights.....	.50
B. Churchill, 423 S. Washington, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
Candy Kitchen, 128 N. Adams, 9 lights.....	1.00
Fischer Bros., 316 S. Adams, 15-horse power.....	3.00
Grace Church, 800 N. Madison, 50 lights.....	2.50
E. Schulz, 400 S. Adams, 26 lights.....	2.50
C. Graff, 1817 S. Adams, 2 arcs.....	2.00
German Lutheran Church, 500 Warner, 50 lights.....	2.50
H. L. Hart, 925 Smith, 10 lights.....	1.00
Grand Opera House, Hamilton, 60 lights.....	8.75
Cosmopolitan Hotel, 115 S. Madison, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. Blumenthal, 617 Main, 15 lights.....	1.00
T. J. Wasson, 1109 Third, 14 lights	1.00
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	\$48.75

March, 1904.

A. J. Pollard, 123 N. Orange, 5 lights.....	.50
J. Henebery, 1301 Third, 10 lights.....	1.00
M. O. Harkness, 112 N. Adams, 3 lights .....	.50
C. A. Dobson, 105 Fulton, 4 lights.....	.50
W. T. Sloan, 202 Observatory Bldg., $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
Leo. Fueger, 2001 S. Adams, 1 arc.....	1.00
Hartman Furniture Co., 330 S. Adams, 15-horse power.	3.00
W. T. Whiting, 115 North, 10 lights.....	1.00

C. E. Gibson, 124 S. Jefferson, 11 lights	\$ 1.00
Mr. Bauer, 606 Howett, 20 lights	1.50
M. Oppenheim, 1807 S. Adams, 1-horse power.....	.50
F. Meints, 627 Linn, 15 lights	1.00
F. A. Harker, 501 Millman, 15 lights.....	1.00
Mrs. Pothoff, 407 S. Adams, 24 lights.....	1.50
W. H. Coleman, 802 Main, 5 lights.....	.50
A. Ostrander, 704 Sixth, 12 lights.....	1.00
Geo. Pfeiffer, 530 S. Adams, 8 lights.....	1.00
Geo. Pfeiffer, 530½ S. Adams, 8 lights	1.00
L. Ph. Wolf, 203 Main, ½-horse power.....	.50
Schipper & Block Furniture Co., 318 S. Adams, 1 arc..	1.00
C. D. Clark, 217 North, 35 lights.....	2.50
C. F. Lipman, Hillyer Place, 14 lights.....	1.00
Model Milk Co., 530 S. Adams, 4½-horse power.....	2.00
J. H. Francis, 128 High, 6 lights	1.00
J. Koerner, 102 N. University, 15 lights.....	1.00
W. E. Bell, 701 Jackson, 22 lights.....	1.50
H. C. Anderson, 301 Franklin, 11 lights.....	1.00
The B. & M., 201-3 S. Adams, 14 arcs, 4 fans.....	16.00
Hearst Club, 100 N. Adams, 2 lights .....	.50
S. & A. Woolner, 900 N. Madison, 22 lights.....	1.50
Maud Davis, 219 Walnut St., ½-horse power.....	.50
	\$48.00

April, 1904.

A. T., Pfeiffer, 1212 Second, 14 lights.....	\$ 1.00
T. W. Tyson, 1326 Main, 5 lights .....	.50
Mr. Seymoure, 502 N. University, 15 lights.....	1.00
Peoria National Bank, 201 Main, 10 lights.....	1.00
Col. F. Smith, 215 Randolph, 5 lights.....	.50
Fred Meints, 1700 N. Adams, 15 lights.....	1.00
H. C. Stone, 515 Y. M. C. A. Bldg., 2 lights.....	.50
Wm. Ohl, 207 Main, 20 lights.....	1.50
E. Schmidt, 108 Fowler, 10 lights	1.00
C. Anderson, 308 Hillyer Place, 11 lights.....	1.00
Baker & Co., 533 Main, 12 lights.....	1.00
J. Cullerton, 500 St. James, 19 lights.....	1.50
Dr. Johnson, 500 Y. M. C. A. Bldg., dental motor.....	.50
H. H. Givens, 208 S. Adams, 31 16-candle power & 4 arcs	6.50
D. Eibeck, 607 Howett, 20 lights.....	1.50
S. R. Clarke, 415 S. Washington, 5-horse power motor...	2.00
H. Drinkhaus, 505 Main, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Mr. Powell, 202 Butler, 14 lights.....	1.00
H. Frome, 115 S. Washington, 5-horse power motor....	2.00

E. Zimmerman, 222 Bridge, 31 lights.....	\$ 2.50
Mr. Kidder, 118 Main, 8 lights.....	1.00
Ben Steele, 115 Walnut, 3-horse power motor.....	1.00
A. C. Angier, 721 Jackson, 20 lights.....	1.50
L. I. Thompson, 213 Ellis, 15 lights.....	1.00
Wilson Grocery Co., 800 S. Washington, 45-horse motor	5.00
M. A. McAleenan, 600 N. Monroe, 20 lights.....	1.50
Hart Weigher Co., 419 N. Water, 125 lights.....	5.00
C. Bornstadt, 211 N. Adams, $\frac{1}{4}$ -horse power motor.....	.50
Handbury H. Co., 801 S. Washington, 25-horse motor...	5.00
J. Cullerton, 502 St. James 14 lights.....	1.00
Scotch Woolen Mills, 416 Main, 1 arc light.....	1.00
F. J. Belcke, 514 Hayward, 7 lights.....	1.00
Miss Little, 501 N. Jefferson, 5 lights.....	.50
A. C. Angier, 813 Evans, 15 lights.....	1.00
Schembs Printing Co., 827 S. Washington, 1-horse motor	.50
P. Stein, 1413 S. Adams, 2-horse motor.....	1.00
J. Riggs, 504 Bradley, 15 lights.....	1.00
Liberty Furnishing Co., 112 Liberty, 15 lights.....	1.00
W. G. Putnam, 224 S. Adams, $\frac{1}{4}$ -horse motor .....	.50
P. Becker, Central Park, 34 16-candle power & 2 arcs..	4.50
J. Kinstler, Hillyer Place, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. F. Klump, 823 Bigelow, 20 lights.....	1.50
I. Coleman, Wisconsin, 25 lights.....	1.50
F. O'Rourke, 904 First, 21 lights.....	1.50
Chas. Millison, 418 Main, $2\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	1.00
J. Ginthardt, 100 Lincoln, 10 lights.....	1.00
J. Steffens, McClure and Wisconsin, 16 lights	1.50
M. Pearson, 209 N. Frink, 19 lights.....	1.50
M. Pearson, 215 N. Frink, 20 lights	1.50
— — —, 504 Bradley, 19 lights.....	1.50
Graber & Co., 1822 S. Washington, 25-horse motor.....	5.00
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	\$81.50

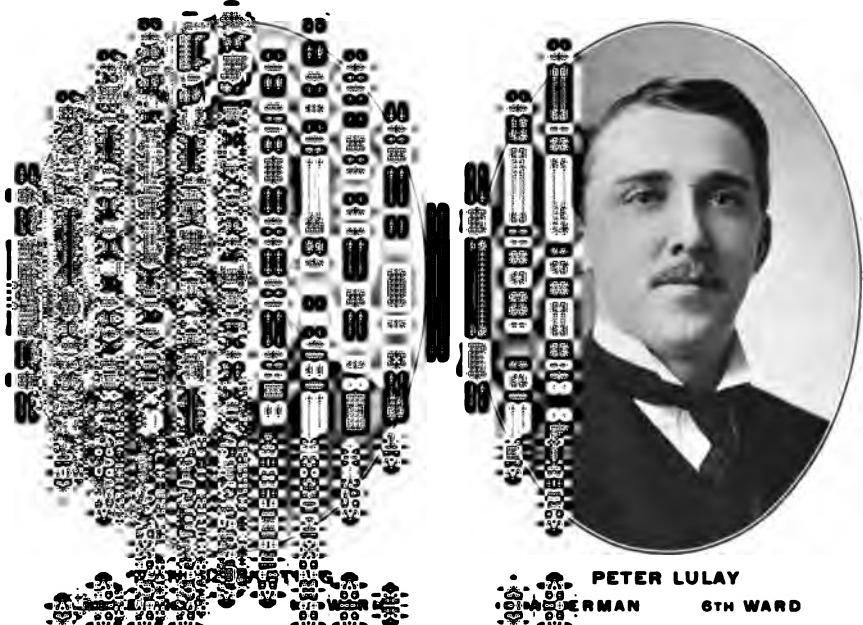
May, 1904.

H. E. Groenwald, 305 Hurlburt, 15 lights.....	\$ 1.00
J. Bontjes, 1917 Main, 2 lights.....	.50
Wilson & Co., 700 S. Adams, 5-horse power	2.00
J. F. Knupp, 1508 N. Madison, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. F. Knupp, 1510 N. Madison, 15 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Miller, 322 N. Madison	8.75
Mr. Shamo, 622 Knoxville.....	.50
H. McNally, 919 Jackson, 25 lights.....	1.50
H. Tieman, 4200 S. Adams, 1 fan.....	.50
Mr. Handberry, Uplands, 25 lights.....	1.50

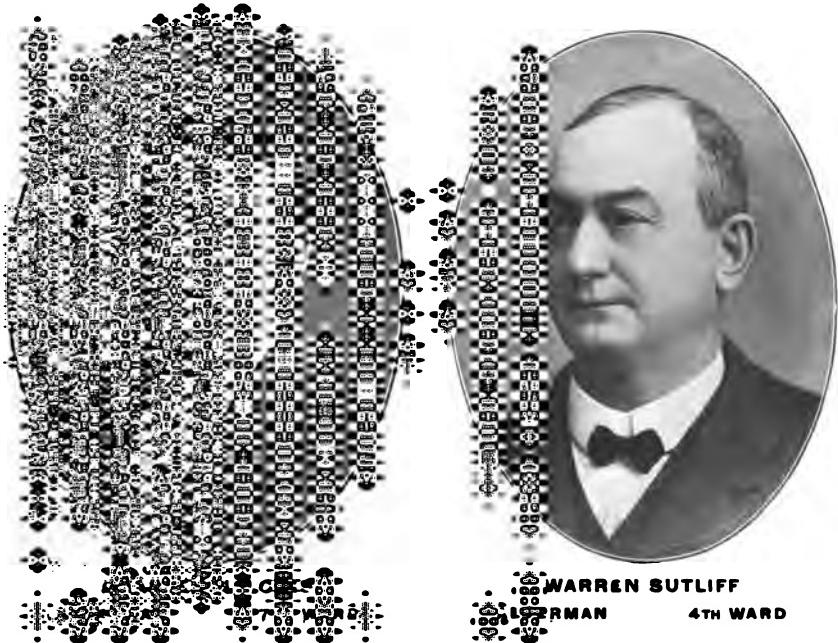
1300 Millman, 10 lights.....	\$ 1.00
Zimmerman & R., 3103 S. Adams, 1 fan.....	.50
H. I. Hardin, 210 S. Garfield, 7 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Drysdale, 104 LaSalle Place, 30 lights.....	2.50
John Powers, 719 Glen Oak, 20 lights.....	1.50
F. Davis, 712 Hamilton, 25 lights.....	1.50
J. Basil, 629 S. Adams, 2 lights.....	.50
C. S. Roberts, 122 S. Adams, 2 lights, 1 arc	1.50
J. C. McBride, 1206 N. Adams, 4 lights, 3-horse power.	1.50
103 Fourth, 3 lights.....	.50
Mr. Huber, 1400 Krause Ave., 10 lights.....	1.00
J. Taylor, 517 Bigelow, 15 lights.....	1.00
Home Bakery, 207 S. Madison, 2-horse power.....	1.00
Stuber & K., 100 Walnut, 5-horse power.....	2.00
H. Lucas, 210 Second, 28 lights.....	1.50
R. Pfeiffer, 215 Hillyer Place, 5 lights .....	.50
J. C. Arnholdt, Fredonia, 29 lights	2.50
Aug. Ricker, 115 Eastern, 10 lights.....	1.00
J. Bontjes, 1701 N. Adams, 4 lights .....	.50
Hartman Furniture Co., 330 S. Adams, 1-7 horse power.	.50
Geo. Herwig, 100 LaSalle Place, 14 lights.....	1.00
J. Pingera, 304 Liberty, 1-horse power.....	.50
E. Kepler, 403 S. Adams, 2 fans.....	1.00
H. Pehl, 603 State, 10 lights.....	1.00
C. N. Wheeler, Cornhill, 15 lights.....	1.00
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413 McBean, 20 lights.....	1.50
A. Williams, 208 Bridge, 1 fan.....	.50
Mr. Snow, 1229 N. Adams, 3 lights.....	.50
F. Maurer, 601 Antoinette, 11 lights.....	1.00
Hinky Dink, Walnut, 4 fans.....	2.00
J. M. Sholl, 400 Evans, 125 lights	5.00
Mr. Hall, 500 College, 15 lights	1.00
Mr. Blume, 1129 South Adams, 2 fans	1.00
Mr. Downing, 1006 Glendale, 18 lights.....	1.50
M. E. Bottes, 300 Behrends, 13 lights.....	1.00
H. A. Schoaff, Jefferson, 90 lights.....	3.75
C. J. Chism, 1302 Hamilton, 49 lights.....	2.50
C. F. Weber, 612 North Adams, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
O. J. Dolan, 1216 N. Madison, 40 lights.....	2.50
C. W. Stapp, 504 University, 4 lights.....	.50
	\$67.00

June, 1904.

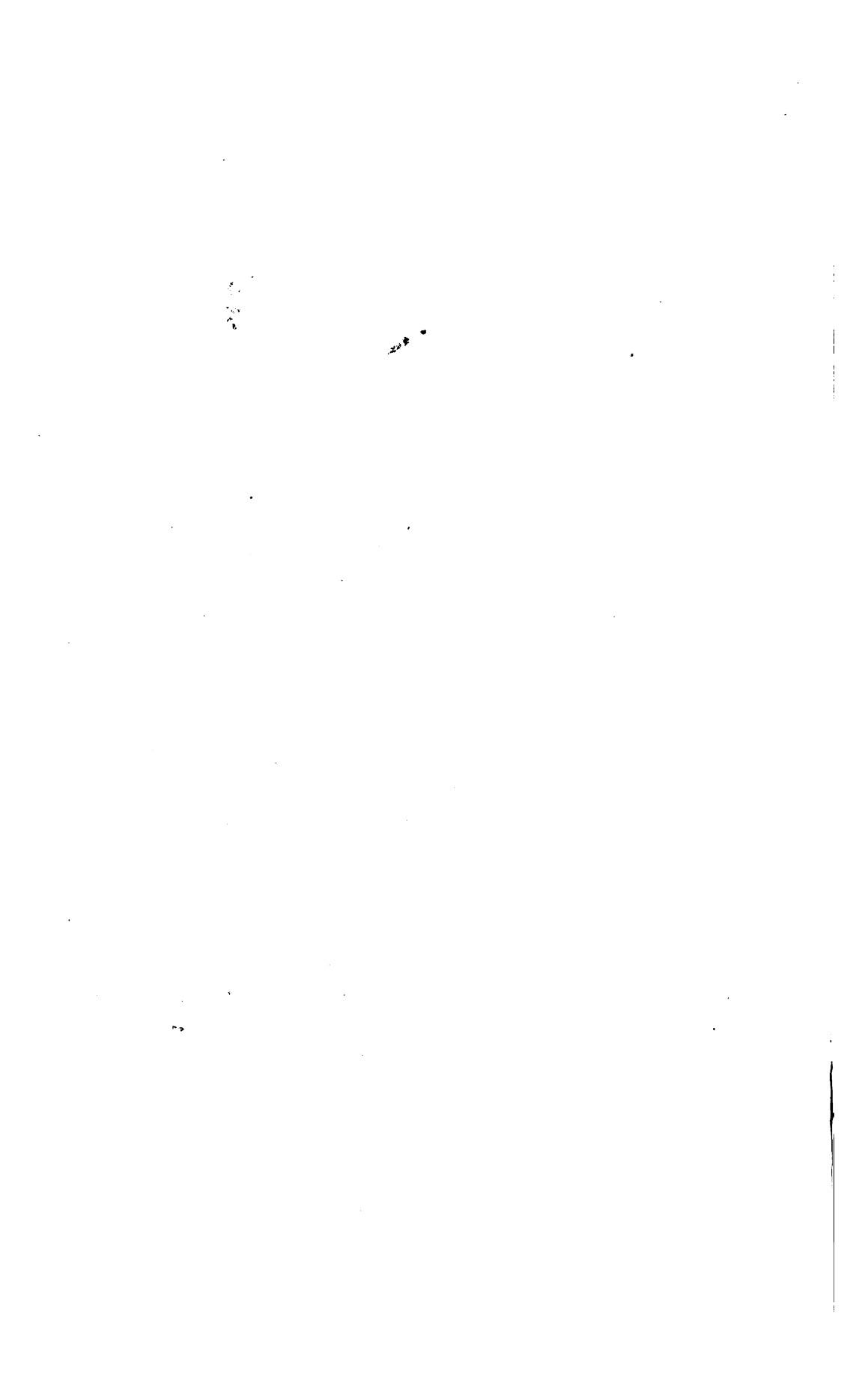
C. Rojahn, 309 Fisher, 2-horse power.....	\$ 1.00
M. N. Pierson, 1110 Chambers, 21 lights.....	1.50
C. W. Stapp, 515 S. University, 4 lights.....	.50
Royal Tea Co., 103 Fourth, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
C. W. Howe, 705 N. Jefferson, 5 lights.....	.50
Mrs. Dodge, 122 N. Adams, 8 lights.....	1.00
Val. Ulrich, 328 Sixth, 70 lights.....	3.75
Gipps Brewing Co., 103 Green, 5 lights.....	.50
Colean Mfg. Co., Water and Chestnut, 18 lights.....	1.50
F. Harbers, 406 Linn, 20 lights.....	1.50
C. J. Pehl, 619 Knoxville 25 lights.....	1.50
C. J. Sutter, 1009 Perry, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Fash, 321 Callender, 25 lights	1.50
Mr. Whiffen, 317 Callender, 22 lights.....	1.50
H. Sissung, 1604 Lincoln, 10 lights.....	1.00
H. Arnholdt, Fredonia and Western, 30 lights.....	2.50
H. J. Ehlen, 510 Windom, 14 lights.....	1.00
Wm. Poppen, Western and Sherman, 25 lights.....	1.50
C. P. Renner, 424 Pecan, 4 lights.....	.50
Mr. Frye, 104 Atlantic, 20 lights.....	1.50
J. D. Roszell, 100 Second, 5 lights.....	.50
A. Wessel, 118 Garden 4 lights.....	.50
Jos. Wilhelm, 415 Howett, 9 lights.....	1.00
H. A. Schoaff, 902 Jackson, 22 lights.....	1.50
F. Harbers, 420 California, 18 lights.....	1.50
Jobst, Bethard & Co., 112-22 Main, 60 lights.....	3.75
Ward Chapel, Fifth and Monson, 40 lights.....	2.50
J. Cole, 604 Voris, 17 lights.....	1.50
J. Gaul, 603 N. Madison, 5 lights.....	.50
Mrs. Dingledine, 405 Seventh, 25 lighs.....	1.50
Ben Wookey, 210 W. McClure, 25 lights.....	1.50
Mr. McSkimin, 208 Fourth, 25 lights.....	1.50
M. V. Kilton, 739 Lincoln, 2-horse power.....	1.00
Mr. Tjarks, 524 Lincoln, 14 lights.....	1.00
Jessie Layton, 311 N. Washington, 1 fan.....	.50
J. F. Bailie, 910 Ellis, 11 lights.....	1.00
J. A. Engle, 101-107 Walnut, 10-horse power.....	3.00
J. Lawitzki, Nebraska and Deleware, 15 lights.....	1.00
A. C. Angier, 107 Ravine, 20 lights.....	1.50
McDonald, 524 Bradley, 6 lights.....	1.00
M. D. Batchelder, Uplands, 40 lights.....	2.50
U. Wys, 2038 S. Adams, 9 lights	1.00
L. Aldrich, 115 Malone, 3 lights.....	.50



PETER LULAY
ALDERMAN 6TH WARD



WARREN SUTLIFF
ALDERMAN 4TH WARD



F. Mauser, 308 Goodwin, 47 lights	\$ 2.50
N. Caulkins, 1817 S. Adams, $\frac{1}{4}$ -horse power.....	.50
Leisy Brewing Co., 2622 S. Washington, 32 lights	2.50
H. E. Carr, 808 Fayette, 4 lights.....	.50
H. Wolf, 807 Nebraska, 11 lights.....	1.00
V. Heiter, 919 Smith, 15 lights	1.00
J. Powers, 719 Glen Oak, 20 lights.....	1.50
J. Powers, 721 Glen Oak, 20 lights.....	1.50
Banvard, 806 State, 18 lights	1.50
Mrs. Lawrence, 406 Fifth, 5 lights.....	.50
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	\$71.00

July, 1904.

F. Millard, 1419 N. Monroe, 33 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Woods, Jackson, 15 lights	1.00
Johh Brassfield, 1211 E. Nebraska, 12 lights	1.00
D. Fey, 614 N. Madison, 30 lights.....	2.50
A. C. Angier, 109 Ravine, 21 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Warner, 508 N. Adams, 2 lights .....	.50
E. Nash, 214 Missouri, 33 lights.....	2.50
R. W. Kempshall, 108-114 Franklin, 70 lights.....	3.75
St. Mary's Cathedral, Madison and Green, 70 lights....	3.75
Sol. York, 718 Delaware, 11 lights.....	1.00
A. V. Thomas, 207 Perry, 25 lights.....	1.50
The Crown, 532 S. Adams, 3 arc lights.....	3.00
Mr. Baggs, Moss, 33 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Partridge, 318 Seventh, 17 lights.....	1.50
T. Ginochio, 1809 N. Madison, 21 lights.....	1.50
R. M. Field, Room 31, Board of Trade, 2 lights.....	.50
John Behrends, 237 Millman, 25 lights.....	1.50
Wm. Seahaas, 1511 Prairie, 10 lights.....	1.00
Wm. Seahaas, 1513 Prairie, 10 lights.....	1.00
August Green 404 Proctor, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mag. Hollman, 208 Warner, 2 lights.....	.50
H. M. Blackman, Uplands, 85 lights.....	2.50
Ben Wookey, North McClure, 14 lights.....	1.00
Mrs. Crusieus, 600 New York, 19 lights.....	1.50
T. J. Wasson, 1111 Third, 11 lights	1.00
Mr. Anderson, 105 Fifth, 27 lights.....	2.50
W. DeLong, 408 Behrends, 15 lights.....	1.00
T. Powers, Ravine, 22 lights.....	1.50
W. E. Sharp, 314 First, $\frac{3}{4}$ -horse power.....	.50
Dr. Thomas, 508 Moss, 10 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Carroll, 118 Bridge, 3-horse power.....	1.00
E. Kemp, 209 Sixth, 24 lights.....	1.50

Mr. Waycott, 218 Wisconsin, 18 lights	\$ 1.00
John Arnold, 617 Lincoln, 1 fan.....	.50
F. W. Happ, 501 Spencer, 1 fan.....	.50
L. C. Frankel, 628 S. Adams, 1 arc.....	1.00
A. C. Angier, Ravine and Dechman, 21 lights.....	1.50
C. J. Carlson, 308 Liberty, 1 horse power.....	.50
C. U. Tel. Co., 308 Fulton, 7-horse power	2.00
H. Hessling, 1405 S. Adams, 4 lights, 1 arc light.....	1.50
Dr. Carter, 109 Illinois, 9 lights.....	1.00
W. Rosenberg, 930 Butler, 11 lights.....	1.00
Kenney, 728 Glendale, 4 lights .....	.50
Mr. Crammond, 411 Dechman, 30 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Hermann, 610 Third, 29 lights	2.50
H. J. Ehlen, Garfield and Windom, 25 lights	1.50
W. L. Hoefer, 1409 Second, 18 lights.....	1.50
John Dengle, 901 Lincoln, 2 lights.....	.50
Master Plumbers, Main and Washington, 14 lights.....	1.00
J. W. Murphy, 629 S. Washington, 3 fans.....	1.50
Church & School, Malone and Chandler, 20 & 88 lights.	5.25
Comstock & Avery, 210 S. Adams, $\frac{1}{4}$ -horse power.....	.50
Jos. Davis, 718 N. Adams, 14 lights	<u>1.00</u>
	\$79.75

August, 1904.

K. Ockenga, 1021 Knoxville, 24 lights	\$ 1.50
W. H. Reeves, 303 Callender, 19 lights.....	1.50
W. H. Reeves, 305 Callender, 19 lights.....	1.50
A. E. Hall, 500 College, 15 lights.....	1.00
Jacobson, 302 Antoinette, 15 lights	1.00
A. Schmes, 1215 S. Adams, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Jas. Basil, 1407 S. Adams, 2 fans	1.00
H. T. Poppen, 921 Lincoln, 21 lights and 4 arc lights....	5.50
Mr. Schweitzer, 106 Malone, 18 lights	1.50
H. Henneges, 411 Howett, 11 lights.....	1.00
B. H. McComis, Hayes and West Morland, 9 lights.....	1.00
M. Grossman, 506 Main, 5 lights, 1 arc	1.50
A. C. Angier, 403 Dechman, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Buechle, 210 Harrison, 25 lights.....	1.50
Knetzger Lumber Co., 225 S. Washington, 2-horse power	1.00
Mr. Stout, 715 Glendale, 3 lights.....	.50
W. Cation, 217 Sixth, 11 lights.....	1.00
May O'Connell, 1101 Second, 24 lights.....	1.50
N. E. Linsley, 104 Melbourn, 20 lights	1.50
Mr. Winsler, 607 State, 20 lights.....	1.50
K. Day, 608 N. Madison, 48 lights	2.50

V. Jobst & Sons, 221 S. Adams, 28 lights.....	\$ 1.50
Mr. McDougal, 600-604 Main, 180 lights.....	5.00
John Farrell, 1615 N. Adams, 19 lights.....	1.50
Thos. Hayden, 326 N. Adams, 18 lights.....	1.50
N. Klingenberg, 1909 Republic, 8 lights.....	1.00
J. Brown, 1109 N. Jefferson, 20 lights.....	1.50
S. Boyer, 1917 Main, 4 lights.....	.50
Sol. York, 719 Delaware, 11 lights	1.00
Sol. York, 717 Delaware, 11 lights	1.00
Sol. York, 715 Delaware, 11 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Slattery, 1201 Second, 20 lights.....	1.50
Jas. Basil, 1407 S. Adams, 2-horse power.....	1.00
H. Meyer, 1317 S. Adams, 3 lights.....	.50
B. H. McComis, 308 W. Moreland, 9 lights.....	1.00
F. Hanum, 1903 N. Adams, 4 lights.....	.50
R. F. Page, 320 Archer, 9 lights	1.00
A. J. Wolgamott, University, 48 lights.....	2.50
Peoria Journal, Hamilton, 50 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Barth, 810 Lincoln, 10-horse power	3.00
Mr. Fishman, 605 S. Adams, 10 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Carman, 206 S. Washington, 1 light.....	.50
St. Joseph parsonage, Hurlburt and Spencer, 40 lights..	2.50
H. Barth, 810 Lincoln, 40 lights.....	2.50
Creve Coeur Club, Liberty and Jefferson, 15-horse power	3.00
A. Booth, 111 S. Washington, 2 lights.....	.50
S. D. Easton, 204-206 Bryan, 22 lights.....	1.50
Randall, 221 N. Adams, 1 light .....	.50
Mr. Fleck, 807 Kansas, 12 lights.....	1.00
W. Wolfner, 415 Moss, 80 lights	3.75
W. E. Allen, 615 Bradley, 21 lights.....	1.50
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	\$79.25

September, 1904.

A. G. Robinson, 608 Bradley, 21 lights.....	1.50
J. W. Abbey, North and Chester, 40 lights.....	2.50
C. E. Quinlan, 1025 N. Glendale, 20 lights.....	1.50
J. F. Knupp, 1108 S. Adams, 9 lights.....	1.00
Woodward, 500 block, Moss, 60 lights.....	3.75
L. A. Mills, 602 Main, 9 lights.....	1.00
J. R. Madigan, 319 McBean, 20 lights.....	1.50
Geo. Harms, 209 Bradley, 25 lights.....	1.50
A. C. Angier, Ravine and Bradley, 19 lights.....	1.50
M. Kingman, 226 Missouri, 22 lights.....	1.50
S. Freeman, 100 Bigelow, 25 lights.....	1.50
E. Kohler, 1400 Lincoln, 20 lights.....	1.50

St. Bernard's Convent, Kansas and New York, 39 lights.	\$ 1.50
Charvat, 205 Fulton, 6 lights.....	1.00
A. Hagerty, 1104 N. Glendale, 18 lights.....	1.00
F. Maurer, 610 Antoinette, 14 lights.....	1.00
J. J. Jobst, 510 Bradley, 60 lights.....	3.75
Mitchell, 918 Fifth, 18 lights.....	1.00
J. R. Richel, 707 Bradley, 15 lights.....	1.00
R. D. Clarke, Moss and Malvern, 25 lights.....	1.50
Springston & Faber, 816 S. Adams, 1 arc light.....	1.00
W. H. Reeves, 301 Callender, 19 lights	1.50
Mr. Murphy, 108 Van Buren, 10 lights.....	1.00
Jobst, Bethard & Co., 106 S. Washington, 8-horse power.	1.00
M. N. Pierson, 1106 Chambers, 21 lights	1.50
German Reformed Church, Spencer and Reed, 75 lights	3.75
Mrs. Schmidt, 510 Laveille, 22 lights.....	1.50
Scotch Woolen Mills, 416 Main, 7 lights and 2 arcs	3.00
Creve Coeur Club, 300 S. Jefferson, 450 lights.....	5.00
Barton, 421 Main, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Model Milk Co., 530 S. Adams, 2 lights and 1 arc.....	1.00
Lindburg, 1925 N. Adams, 7 lights.....	1.00
F. Bruns, 619 Third, 50 lights.....	2.50
Reynolds, 111 Harrison, 3 lights.....	.50
S. Freeman, 102 Bigelow, 26 lights.....	2.50
W. H. Bush, 825 Missouri, 15 lights.....	1.00
Hotel Endres, 209 Bridge, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
Carriel, 522 S. Adams, 2 lights.....	.50
G. Emory, 603 Ravine, 15 lights	1.00
H. Thielbar, 121 S. Adams, 20 lights.....	1.50
J. Wagner, 315 Sanger, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. Wagner, 317 Sanger, 15 lights.....	1.00
Dr. Pinter, 101 S. Jefferson, wall cabinet.....	.50
M. N. Pierson, Pacific and Virginia, 20 lights.....	1.50
J. Botto, 1402 Hamilton, 26 lights	2.50
R. Cummings, 816 Fayette, 24 lights.....	1.50
Union Brewing Co., 608 N. Adams, 2 lights.....	.50
Warner, 617 N. Adams, 6 lights.....	1.00
T. J. Wasson, 1113 Third, 10 lights	1.00
J. D. Roszell, 102 Second, 15 lights.....	1.00
Dr. Gable, 102 N. Adams, 4 lights.....	.50
National Tea Co., 101 N. Madison, 1 horse power.....	.50
Kinsey & Mahler, 400 S. Adams, 28 lights	2.50
Peoria High School, Monroe street, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	.50
E. J. Grimes, 119 High, 40 lights.....	2.50
D. Mayer, Hamilton and Adams, 1 arc light.....	1.00
A. W. Davidson, 724 Illinois, 9 lights.....	1.00

Standard Club, 1302 S. Adams, 8 lights.....	\$ 1.00
John Green, 302 Fulton, 3 lights.....	.50
A. Ward, 208 Russell, 15 lights.....	1.00
J. Melzer, 1706 First, 14 lights.....	1.00
F. J. Miller, Goodwin, 38 lights.....	2.50
Graves, 506 Main, 8 lights.....	1.00
Southern Hotel, 2125 S. Washington, 5 lights .....	.50
Mrs. M. Shaw, 308 Wisconsin, 19 lights.....	1.50
C. B. Sester, 720 Warner, 24 lights	1.50
C. Knoll, 619 Blaine, 10 lights.....	1.00
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	\$95.75

October, 1904.

F. Benz, 708 N. Adams, 2-horse power.....	\$ 1.00
Hunter & Strehlow, Bigelow and Nebraska, 15 lights...	1.00
Wm. Harms, 113 Livingstone, 8 lights	1.00
J. Look, 1206 S. Adams, 4 lights .....	.50
Mrs. Page, Atlantic and Arcadia, 18 lights	1.50
Lehigh Valley Dis., 17 Board of Trade, 5 lights.....	.50
E. J. Wright, 322 Bradley, 18 lights	1.50
W. E. Dickerson, 114 Richmond, 4 lights.....	.50
GEO. L. Root, 1012 Republic, 18 lights.....	1.50
F. Millard, 1419 N. Monroe, 30 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Rose, 605 Mary, 15 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Goodman, 216 Seventh, 40 lights.....	2.50
M. N. Pierson, 1104 Chambers, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Schrick, 417 Central, 15 lights.....	1.00
C. C. Fash, 302 North, 10 lights.....	1.00
Chas. Brant, West McClure, 27 lights.....	2.50
Mr. Conrad, 507 Morgan, 11 lights	1.00
H. Neptune, Proctor, 15 lights.....	1.00
C. W. Traeger, 107 Hurlburt, 14 lights.....	1.00
C. E. Wheelock, Observatory Building, 15-horse power.	3.00
Harrington Mfg. Co., 1822 S. Washington, 56 lights.....	3.75
R. T. Walker, Central and Arcadia, 14 lights.....	1.00
A. Clinebell, McCall and Chester, 8 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Wiley, 929 Jackson, 20 lights	1.50
C. A. Gray, 409 W. McClure, 15 lights.....	1.00
Calvary Church, 600 First, 100 lights.....	3.75
J. J. Fitzgerald, 508 First, 11 lights.....	1.00
N. Salzenstein, 112 N. Monroe, 19 lights.....	1.50
H. Jacobi, 210 Warner, 2 lights.....	.50
Mr. Morrill, 1512 Main, 2 lights.....	.50
A. Beseman, 1009 Glen Oak, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mrs. Miller, 600 Seventh, 18 lights.....	1.00

Otto Roth, 3222 S. Adams, 18 lights	1.00
R. F. Page, 326 Archer, 9 lights.....	1.00
J. L. Wiley, Arcade Building, 23 lights	1.50
J. Szold, 2201 S. Adams, 8 lights.....	1.00
Acme Harvester Co., Board of Trade, 29 lights.....	2.50
R. Rosenberg, Pecan and Walnut, 6 lights	1.00
D. S. Kent, 417 Hayward, 10 lights.....	1.00
C. H. Miller, 107 McClure, 20 lights	1.50
Lutheran Church, Maple & Warner, 22 lights	1.50
Becker & Gerdes, 580 North, 17 lights	1.50
J. D. Roszell, Franklin and Second, 78 lights	3.75
S. C. Summers, 723 W. Armstrong, 20 lights.....	1.50
Geo. Green, 828 Seventh, 3 lights .....	.50
I. Coleman, 307 Penn., 21 lights.....	1.50
State Loan Co., 107 S. Adams, 4 lights .....	.50
F. H. Reeves, Malvern Lane, 55 lights.....	3.75
Union Brewery, 1012 Lincoln, 1 light.....	.50
Comstock & Morse, 320 S. Adams, 38 lights.....	2.50
Union Brewery, 208½ Bridge, 1 light.....	.50
Union Brewery, 1027 S. Adams, 1 light .....	.50
Mestersmidt, 409 Pecan, 9 lights.....	1.00
Acme Harvester Co., Board of Trade, 6 lights.....	1.00
Harrison Reed, 808 Seventh, 12 lights.....	1.00
Mrs. Gauger, 111 First, 6 lights.....	1.00
Mrs. Lauderman, 100 Warner, 19 lights.....	1.50
S. Moran, 830 Henry, 13 lights.....	1.00
R. Hyde, 408 First, 4 lights.....	.50
Hunter & Strehlow, 100 Block, S. Washington, 14 lights.	1.00
Peoria Journal, Hamilton, 6 lights.....	1.00
L. Katzing, 426 Main, 20 lights.....	1.50
H. A. Goddard, 210 Cedar, 4 lights.....	.50
F. Krause, Griswold, 10 lights	1.00
Union Brewery Co., 1803 N. Adams, 1 light .....	.50
Isch & Co., 212 S. Washington, 2 arcs.....	2.00
Fred Murphy, 122 Malone, 16 lights	1.50
W. L. Dunham, 110 Elmwood, 22 lights.....	1.50
Geo. Adlington, Main, 1 arc.....	1.00
	\$92.50

November, 1904.

A. Moll, 514 Perry, 8 lights.....	1.00
Wm. Forbes, 617 Fifth, 14 lights.....	1.00
Nick Day, 422 Seventh, 5 lights.....	.50
McAleenan, 304 Webster, 21 lights	1.50
Evangelical Mission, Humboldt, 30 lights.....	2.50

Union Brewery, 519 S. Adams, 1 light.....	\$.50
Lammers, 1403 S. Adams, 20 lights.....	1.50
Union Brewing Co., 1231 S. Adams, 1 light.....	.50
F. W. Goetz, 2710 S. Adams.....	1.00
Wm. Reeder, 2407 S. Adams, 16 lights.....	1.50
Harshey, 513 New York, 26 lights.....	2.50
L. B. Van Nuys, 301 E. Nebraska, 14 lights	1.00
C. Losch, 427 Barker, 7½-horse power.....	2.00
W. H. Johnson, 112 Edmund, 20-horse power	5.00
G. Brockman, 1013 Webster, 7 lights.....	1.00
A. Weiland, 328 Widenham, 11 lights.....	1.00
H. Wickert, 523 California, 15 lights.....	1.00
Kline, 104 Greenleaf, 20 lights.....	1.50
A. Brown, 908 Kansas, 13 lights.....	1.00
D. Funk, 1517 S. Adams, 5 lights.....	.50
F. P. Lewis, Glen Oak, 65 lights	3.75
R. Mitchell, 608 Fifth, 10 lights.....	1.00
M. Lehr, 115 Chambers, 40 lights.....	2.50
Mrs. K. Day, 606-608 N. Madison, 36 lights.....	2.50
E. Seitz, 918 Warner, 14 lights.....	1.00
E. Seitz, 920 Warner, 14 lights.....	1.00
Pete Wendland, 102 S. Washington, 9 lights.....	1.00
C. W. Bonner, 201 Helen, 14 lights.....	1.00
C. Strasser, 217 Fredonia, 40 lights	2.50
Falstaff Club, 226 N. Adams, 11 lights.....	1.00
Joe Webber, 206 Eaton, 19 lights.....	1.50
J. Lanski & Son, Foot of Walnut, 2 arcs.....	2.00
John Schneider, 415 N. Glendale, 18 lights.....	1.50
Schwabacher Bros., 214 S. Washington, 2-horse power..	1.00
Knetzger Lumber Co., 825 S. Washington, 11 lights....	1.00
Mrs. Ulrich, 128 W. Moreland, 6 lights	1.00
Kunkle, 412 Monson, 2 lights.....	.50
G. T. Mowat, 421 Sixth, 28 lights.....	1.50
C. A. Gray, 411 W. McClure, 15 lights.....	1.00
Wm. Williamson, 527 Warner, 12 lights.....	1.00
E. L. Davis, 202 Glen Oak, 22 lights.....	1.50
Miss Cowry, Glenwood, 15 lights.....	1.00
Hartman Furniture Co., 221 S. Washington, 3-horse....	1.00
F. McLoughlin, 1806 N. Monroe, 14 lights.	1.00
German M. E. Church, 300 Fifth, 60 lights.....	3.75
J. Miller & Sons, 422 S. Adams, 8 lights and 1 arc.....	3.00
Mr. Webber, 1700 Howett, 11 lights.....	1.00
O. J. Dolan, 408 N. Adams, 75 lights	3.75
Mr. Harrington, 804 Fourth, 21 lights	1.50
Pollard, Institute Place, 21 lights	1.50

Chas. Manning, 109 Elliott, 10 lights.....	\$ 1.00
J. C. Schaefer, 520 Missouri, 15 lights.....	1.00
Royal Oil Co., Lower Jackson, 8 lights.....	1.00
Roy Bolts, 910 Saratoga, 14 lights.....	1.00
Sloan & R., 1327 S. Adams, 11 lights.....	1.00
E. Seitz, State and Prairie, 42 lights.....	2.50
Union Brewing Co., 2000 S. Adams, 2 lights .....	.50
Fred Fueger, 503 Linn, 15 lights.....	1.00
W. Sprenger, 218 Indiana, 10 lights.....	1.00
H. Kuck, 1225 Second, 10 lights	1.00
E. Gauss, Madison and Fulton, 27 lights.....	2.50
Curtis & B., 108 S. Madison, 2 fan motors.....	1.00
H. A. Gray, 408 Spring, 13 lights.....	.1.00
H. Stinel, 218 Charlton, 12 lights	1.00
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	\$92.75

December, 1904.

T. P. & W. R'y, Foot of Sanger, 5 lights	\$.50
J. Jansen, 809 Linn, 23 lights	1.50
Mr. Bourland, 216 S. Underhill, 10 lights.....	1.00
Ed Arnholdt, 117 Martin, 15 lights.....	1.00
D. Roszel, 100 Second, 3-horse power.....	1.00
Miss B. Marsters, 707 Bradley, 15 lights.....	1.00
Johnson & W., 418 Main, 165 lights, $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	5.00
Adams Express Co., 323 Main, 8 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Causey, 325 Indiana, 25 lights	1.50
D. W. Hathaway, 1608 First, 9 lights.....	1.00
J. F. Trent, 907 Kansas, 10 lights.....	1.00
Mr. McCullough, 314 Fredonia, 22 lights.....	1.50
R. E. Walker, 303 N. University, 15 lights.....	1.00
Rosenthal & G., 101 Warner, 3 lights, 1 arc.....	1.00
Thomas & Co., 325 Main, rear, 9 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Causey, 303 Indiana, 20 lights	1.50
Drs. Engle & M., 508 Main, 2d floor, 3 lights.....	.50
Miss White, 928 Jackson, 17 lights.....	1.50
C. Christ, 513 Howett, 9 lights.....	1.00
Joe Webber, 206 Eaton, 6 lights	1.00
F. Whiting, 216 Moss, 55 lights.....	8.75
Miss Harrington, 813 Spencer, 11 lights.....	1.00
J. Bohl, 120 S. Jefferson, 25 lights	1.50
H. Biehl & Son, 315 Walnut, 6 lights.....	1.00
Pfeiffer Crockery Co., 318 S. Adams, 55 lights	3.75
R. Monroe, 820 N. Madison, 25 lights.....	1.50
N. Becker, 232 E. Armstrong, 17 lights.....	1.50
S. Harris, 425 S. Washington, 1 light.....	.50

Union Brewery Co., 1801 S. Adams, 6 lights.....	\$ 1.00
E. Habbinger, 523 Warner, 9 lights	1.00
R. J. Evans, 604 Main, 2-horse power	1.00
C. R. I. & P. R'y., Freight House, 38 lights	2.50
A. E. Augerson, 120 Delaware, 25 lights.....	1.50
Wm. M. Allen, 520 Fourth, 50 lights	2.50
J. Bewsher, 217 N. Washington, 5 lights.....	.50
J. H. Harsch, 634 Main, 16 lights.....	1.50
Nat. Biscuit Co., 109 S. Washington, 20 lights.....	1.50
F. Bittel, 2121 S. Adams, 13 lights.....	1.00
Aug. Green, Krause Ave., 9 lights.....	1.00
F. Seitz, 1108 Smith, 14 lights.....	1.00
F. Seitz, 1110 Smith, 14 lights.....	1.00
First Nat. Bank, 200 Main, 1 arc	1.00
Harold Plowe, 421 Frye, 2 lights.....	.50
J. B. Wilton, 1804 S. Adams, 24 lights.....	1.50
F. H. Tichenor, 204 Swinnerton, 18 lights.....	1.50
Weather Bureau, Main St., 39 lights.....	2.50
R. Moritz, 108 Fredonia, 20 lights.....	1.50
Mr. Tyson, 1012 N. Monroe, 15 lights.....	1.00
Day Carpet and Furniture Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power .....	.50
F. H. Tichenor, 206 Swinnington, 18 lights.....	1.50
Miss Lyding, 923 North, 23 lights.....	1.50
Mr. McMann, 515 Brown, 6 lights.....	1.00
Candy Kitchen, 600 Main, $3\frac{1}{2}$ -horse power.....	2.00
E. Hammer, 906 Butler, 16 lights.....	1.50
M. N. Pierson, Uplands, 25 lights.....	1.50
Mrs. Gauger, 712 N. Adams, 68 lights.....	3.75
C. B. & Q. Ry., 323 Main, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Meyer Furnace Co., 1300 S. Washington, $7\frac{1}{2}$ -horse	2.00
Thos. McHarg, 120 S. Jefferson, 1 arc light.....	1.00
Kate Nason, 128 Thrush, 15 lights.....	1.00
Mr. Klingenberg, 1210 N. Adams, 14 lights.....	1.00
Union Brewing Co., 2601 S. Washington, 7 lights.....	1.00
F. Fueger, 2017 S. Adams, 26 lights.....	2.50
Hine Printing Co., 307-9 S. Washington, 14-horse power.	3.00
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	\$92.75

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDING.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the
City Council of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:—Herewith is submitted to you the thirteenth annual report of the Department of Building for the year ending December 31st, 1904.

Total number of building permits issued, 1904.....	978
Total number of building permits issued, 1903.....	941
Increase over 1903.....	37
Total number permits new buildings, 1904	447
Total number permits paid repairs on buildings, 1904.....	168
Total number permits free repairs and new work, 1904	363
Total.....	978
Total number house-moving permits issued, 1904....39 fees \$	99.00
Total number house-moving permits issued, 1903....54 fees	104.00
Decrease'for 1904.....	15 \$ 5.00
Total fees of office, 1904	2,568.50
Total fees of office, 1903	2,202.50
Increase for 1904	\$ 366.00
Receipts and Expenditures in Detail, 1904.	
Received for permits for new work	447 \$ 1,645.50
Received for permits for repair work	168 324.00
Received for permits for house-moving.....	39 99.00
Received for elevator inspections.....	200 500.00
Total	\$ 2,568.50
Expenditures.	
Fees remitted by action City Council (Proctor Home)	\$ 107.50
Paid to Elevator Inspector.....	400.00
Paid over to City Treasurer	2,061.00
Total.....	\$ 2,568.50
Total value of new buildings and repairs, 1904.....	\$1,708,688.37
Total value of new buildings and repairs, 1903	1,393,810.25
Increase for 1904	\$ 314,878.12

Total number of new buildings erected, 1904..	447	valued at \$ 1,553,909.00
Total number of new buildings erected, 1903..	418	valued at 1,280,679.00
Increase for 1904... ..	29	\$ 272,630.00
Total number of buildings repaired, 1904..	581	valued at \$ 155,379.37
Total number of buildings repaired, 1903..	523	valued at .. 113,131.25
Increase for 1904 .. .	8	\$ 42,248.12
Total number of brick buildings erected, 1904..	42	valued at \$ 818,489.00
Total number of brick buildings erected, 1903..	65	valued at 675,749.00
Increase in value for 1904.....		\$ 142,690.00
Decrease in number for 1904.....	23	
Total number frame buildings erected, 1904..	405	valued at \$ 734,870.00
Total number frame buildings erected, 1903..	358	valued at 604,930.00
Increase for 1904.....	52	\$ 129,940.00
Total number brick bldgs. repaired, 1904..	75	valued at \$ 71,239.87
Total number frame bldgs. repaired, 1904,	456	valued at 84,139.50
Total .. .	531	\$ 155,379.37
Total number of elevators inspected, 1904.....		225
Total number of elevators inspected, 1903.....		150
Increase for 1904 .. .		75
Number on which fees not received Jan. 1, 1904.....		5
Number inspected, 1904 .. .		225
Total .. .		230
Certificates issued, 1904, for which fees received.....		200
Certificates issued, 1904, for which fees not charged.....		2
Number on which fees not received Jan. 1, 1905.....		28
Total .. .		230
Total number certificates issued, 1904.....		202
Total number certificates issued, 1903.....		143
Increase for 1904.....		59
Total number hot air furnaces included in general permits.....		163
Total number hot air furnaces not included in general permits.....		5
Total number steam heat systems included in general permit..	....	16
Total number steam heat systems not included in general permit ..	....	3
Total number hot water systems included in general permit.....		24
Total number of elevators included in general permit—freight.....		4
Total number of elevators included in general permit—passenger ...		5

Total number of elevators not included in general permit—freight	1
Number of buildings condemned including two of 1903.	10
Number of buildings condemned and removed. 7, as follows:	
1 one-story frame building corner Blaine and Antoinette streets.	
1 one-story frame building, 2011 S. Washington street.	
2 one-story frame buildings, lot 7, block 10, Ballance's Addition on Pecan street.	
1 one-and-a-half-story frame building, 205 Callendar avenue.	
1 two-story frame building, lot 19, Sylvan Park Addition, Laveille street.	
1 brick smoke stack, 519 N. Water street.	
Number on which orders have not been complied with 3, as follows:	
1 two-story brick, 225 S. Water street.	
1 one-story frame, lot 10, block 80, original town.	
1 one-and-a-half-story frame, lot 9, block E, McReynold's Addition.	
Buildings ordered repaired and order complied with.	5
Elevators ordered repaired and order complied with.	20
Fire escapes ordered.	37
Fire escapes erected as per order.	34

Additional Items.

Buildings to the value of one hundred fifty thousand dollars have been constructed outside of the city limits, over which this department had no control. The buildings were essentially a part of the city, although they are not included within the boundary limits; the materials being furnished and the labor being performed by Peorians for the owners, who are citizens of Peoria.

This together with a great deal of repair work for which no permit was required makes in the aggregate a banner year for the City of Peoria along the lines of building construction. Among the various buildings as, noted above, were the cattle barns at the Corning Distillery, \$27,000.00; Warehouse at the Woolner Distillery, \$30,000.00, and the Iron and Steel Works in East Peoria, \$40,000.00, approximately.

Inspection of Buildings.

Notwithstanding the great amount of work and the large territory over which it is extended, the Superintendent of Building has inspected the various structures and all have been constructed in accordance with the ordinances governing the same as near as possible.

Board for the Inspection of Buildings.

At the beginning of the year, a great deal of inspection was done relating to modes of egress in case of fire. This was deemed necessary on account of the Iroquois Theater fire in Chicago. The Special Fire Commission created by the City Council consisting of the Fire and Water Committee, the Mayor, Fire Marshal, Building Inspector, City Engineer, City Attorney and City Electrician visited the various places of amusement and halls where large numbers of people congregate, and ordered various changes and improvements to be made in the buildings visited. The Board for the Inspection of Buildings, with the City Electrician, continued the work of inspection until nearly all the buildings requiring improvements in the manner of escape in case of fire or panic had been inspected.

The orders of the Special Committee and the Board for the Inspection of Buildings have been practically complied with only a few minor changes ordered have not been made.

The Board has made various inspections of old buildings and their orders to remove or repair, as the case may have been, have been complied with in all but three exceptions upon which extended time was given for the parties interested to make a sale or lease, the Board not considering them dangerous.

The Superintendent of Buildings has kept the office open from 8:00 A.M. to 2:30 P.M., which fact seems to have been appreciated by the patrons of the office. In addition to the various duties of the office, the Superintendent has practically ready, a revised copy of the building laws of the city to present to your honorable body for your consideration in the near future.

Printing the Building Laws.

An amount of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars was included in the appropriation bill of 1904 for the printing of the building laws in pamphlet form for distribution among the various architects, builders and others concerned, but

owing to the fact that the laws as they now exist needed revising, the Superintendent decided not to have them printed, but would respectfully recommend that the sum as above stated be re-appropriated for this purpose as soon as the revised ordinances are passed upon by your honorable body.

Conclusion.

I take this opportunity of returning my thanks to His Honor, the Mayor, the Members of the City Council and the heads of the various departments upon which I have called for favors during the past year for their assistance to me in the discharge of the duties of my office.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. BENSON,
Superintendent of Building.

Comparative Monthly Table.

	NEW WORK			PAID REPAIRS			FREE REPAIRS			TOTAL		
	1902	1908	1904	1902	1908	1904	1902	1908	1904	1902	1908	1904
Jan....	\$ 25,025.00	\$ 24,792.00	\$ 4,800.00	\$ 5,370.00	\$ 6,415.00	\$ 12,980.00	\$ 925.00	\$ 505.00	\$ 788.40	\$ 31,320.00	\$ 31,802.00	\$ 18,818.40
Feb....	22,883.00	28,550.00	9,662.00	1,725.00	6,268.00	2,825.00	550.00	880.00	240.00	35,583.00	35,638.00	12,727.00
March...	184,436.00	208,322.00	51,237.00	11,951.00	8,640.00	6,286.00	3,236.50	2,666.00	1,758.00	149,673.50	215,101.00	62,320.00
April...	143,717.00	214,680.00	118,442.00	21,789.00	16,538.00	15,389.00	4,046.00	2,010.00	2,459.00	169,532.00	239,229.00	186,320.00
May....	168,335.00	98,966.00	81,945.00	38,757.00	8,350.00	10,918.50	2,038.00	1,811.00	3,451.00	204,625.00	108,856.00	96,284.50
June...	182,815.00	88,218.00	850,383.00	9,498.00	11,888.00	21,220.00	1,821.00	2,873.25	1,450.00	143,681.00	97,469.25	403,005.00
July...	101,189.00	101,585.00	91,550.00	19,986.50	8,813.00	10,595.00	2,244.00	1,530.00	1,208.00	128,319.50	111,908.00	108,855.00
August...	132,419.00	225,773.00	420,028.00	7,512.00	4,558.00	7,828.00	2,705.00	2,457.00	1,250.00	142,636.00	282,758.00	437,594.00
Sep....	91,650.00	108,231.00	107,760.00	14,588.00	5,988.00	14,975.00	2,222.50	2,970.00	2,413.00	105,475.50	116,709.00	124,565.00
Oct....	85,888.00	105,799.00	123,942.00	19,469.50	15,983.47	21,110.00	1,844.00	2,239.00	2,071.00	107,465.50	114,313.00	147,168.47
Nov....	46,890.00	66,070.00	78,085.00	2,898.00	5,425.00	10,110.00	1,739.00	1,972.00	1,268.00	50,545.00	73,284.00	90,070.00
Dec ...	54,105.00	19,185.00	71,735.00	4,800.00	4,485.00	3,620.00	275.00	268.00	1,632.00	53,740.00	23,908.00	76,987.00
Total...	1,138,547.00	1,230,679.00	1,553,309.00	162,781.09	98,288.00	134,636.97	23,181.00	19,878.25	20,742.40	1,314,509.09	1,389,810.25	1,708,688.87

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF PLUMBING.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the
City Council of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:— The undersigned Superintendent of Plumbing hereby submits his annual report from January 1st, 1903, to December 31st, 1904, as follows:

Plans approved.....	255
Water tests.....	245
Final inspections	313
Miscellaneous inspections.....	634
Plumbers examined	7
Amount of fees.....	\$429.00

Recommendation.

In order that the different departments pertaining to the construction, re-construction or alteration of all buildings, may work in harmony with one another, I would recommend that the ordinances governing them be changed so that the plans and specifications of all buildings be first submitted to the Department of Health and stamped with their approval before the Superintendent of Building shall issue any building permit. In this way plans of the drainage and ventilation of all buildings would have to be passed upon and left on file at this office. Under the ordinances now in force the building is up and partly constructed before there are any drainage or ventilation plans submitted and in many cases there are mistakes made in planning sanitary appliances and the ventilation of rooms in which they are to be placed. Under those conditions there is much confusion at times to the detriment of those most interested.

As recommended in my last report and endorsed by the Board of Health, an ordinance regulating the construction and inspection of sewers has been prepared, but as yet noth-

ing has been done with it. This is very necessary to the health of the public and the protection of the paved streets.

I desire to return thanks to His Honor, the Mayor, and members of the City Council, and the Department of Health, and the Health Commissioner, Dr. H. M. Hayes, for the courteous treatment and assistance given me in the performance of the duties of this office.

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. DONAHOE,
Superintendent of Plumbing.

REPORT OF HEALTH COMMISSIONER.

PEORIA, ILL., January 1, 1905.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of the city ordinances I herewith submit the following report for your consideration:

The general public is conversant with the nature of the work required of this department of the city administration, while but few fully appreciate the obstacles it has to contend with in the performance of its natural functions.

The weeds, the privy-vaults, antiquated closets, obnoxious cess-pools, garbage, ashes, dead rats and chickens, and many pestilent acts of indifferent and selfish people, have been rehearsed from year to year, and need not be dwelt upon at this time.

The general cleaning up and abatement of these nuisances, coupled with strenuous efforts to prevent a recurrence, has been one of the prime purposes of this department. The corps of officers on duty in the Department of Health has been vigilant and watchful and any violation of the ordinance has been met with summary treatment.

I am convinced that while Peoria is busy with new bridges and new franchises (perhaps all needed) the most vital improvement necessary at this time is some method, either public or private, of handling and disposing of night soil and garbage, and compelling a uniform action by all the people in this regard.

Many cities in this and other States, with less population and less importance, compel the people to supply themselves with tight covered metal boxes or pails, into which all decaying garbage and refuse must be placed, and kept in some convenient spot, from which the city scavengers remove it each day, or as often as necessary. This would

be an improvement over our present system of allowing people to dump disease germs wherever most convenient, even to the discomfort and danger of the common populace.

In weight, about 14 per cent. of refuse production in American cities is garbage and 8 per cent. rubbish. The average weight per day of garbage is one pound per capita. The experience of cities having established crematories is to the effect that this matter is absolutely disposed of at cents of 35 cents per ton, being 20 cents for labor and 15 a few for fuel. In my opinion it will be only a question of engage years until some final solution of this question must engage the attention of the authorities in this city.

Detention Hospital.

I deem it my duty at this time to call your attention to the spot where we detain and care for patients with infectious and contagious diseases. We call it a "Detention Hospital." We have successfully detained many people under its roof, and through the agencies of kind providence, and the administering of skillful nurses, the results have been highly satisfactory.

Mrs. Voris, the matron, has proven herself to be highly competent and painstaking, even tempered and cleanly; and under her ever watchful care the best results possible have been attained. Not one single case placed under her care has resulted fatally.

While these things are encouraging the fact still remains that we have been compelled to detain patients with diphtheria and scarlet fever under the same roof with small-pox; and the roof very imperfect at that. We have been patching continually to prevent untimely and unintentional baths. It has been difficult to keep the place warm in cold weather with an inadequate number of poor stoves, and on one occasion it was found necessary to barricade the place with rocks to prevent the whole thing from making a floating expedition toward the gulf. At the time the present place was built an emergency existed, and this was doubtless the best way out of it at the time. Like all other

things it has had its day, and the growth and changing conditions seem to demand at this time or in the near future, a building suitable to the needs of the present day. It should be located on high ground, away from the river, a more substantial building, and divided into compartments, so that patients can be treated for one disease without being exposed to some other, perhaps more serious.

I am pleased to report that the death rate is lower than that of last year; being 11 to each 1,000, as to 11 $\frac{1}{100}$ for each 1,000 in 1903. It will be seen that there were 884 deaths in 1904 and 772 in 1903, but the increased population has reduced the percentage below that of 1903.

The following table shows the number of patients treated at the Detention hospital each month during the year:

	Small-pox	Diphtheria
January.....	2	1
February	2	..
March	10	..
April	6	1
May	5	..
June .....	..	..
July	2	..
August .....	..	..
September.....	..	..
October.....	..	..
November.....	9	1
December.....	8	..
Total.....	<u>44</u>	<u>3</u>

Tuberculosis.

It seems appropriate at this time to call your attention to the efforts being made by the Board of Charities in conjunction with the Board of Health and Medical Association, to stay the progress of "the great white plague," and an ordinance will be presented to your honorable body in the hope that you will give it favorable consideration, and sanction the laudable work thus begun by passing this or some other ordinance in support of the effort. While this is purely local in its scope, it is prompted by the fact that the

spread of tuberculosis and the fatality of the disease throughout the whole country has become alarming and many State Boards of Health are giving the matter close attention and study. The theory in vogue for years that people afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis must flee to some higher altitude for relief has been eradicated, and the concensus of opinion in high medical authorities is to the effect that if taken in its incipiency, pulmonary tuberculosis can be cured in Illinois.

To this end, the State Medical Society has established a tent colony near Ottawa in LaSalle County. It is not for the purpose of financial gain, nor is it a so-called charitable institution; at the same time all medical services are gratuitous. The prime object is for the purpose of demonstrating that tuberculosis can be cured in our own climate, and also, if possible, induce the Legislature to establish a sanitarium for the poor who are thus afflicted.

Last summer the Associated Charities of Peoria, in the course of their line of duty, were brought face to face with conditions more serious than had ever before been realized, and under the direction of Dr. S. M. Miller, a thorough search of the records in the Health Department resulted in a report made by the doctor in which he not only sets forth the facts, but describes the localities where it is most prevalent, and after careful and intelligent discussion of the awful consequences, offers a remedy, and the substance of this remedy is embodied in the following ordinance, which will be submitted to your honorable body for your approval.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Peoria:

SECTION 1. That pulmonary tuberculosis is hereby declared to be an infectious and dangerous disease to the public health. It shall be the duty of every physician in this city to report to the Board of Health in writing, giving the name, age, sex, occupation and address of every person having such disease, who has been attended by, or who has come under the observation of such physician within one week of such time. It shall also be the duty of commissioners, managers, principals, superintendents or physicians of every public or private institute in this city to

report to the Board of Health in writing, or to cause such report to be made by some competent person, the name, age, sex, occupation and last address of every person affected with this disease, and of the authorities of public and private institutions to reserve and enforce sanitary rules and requirements to prevent the spread of pulmonary tuberculosis, that may be deemed necessary by the Board of Health.

SEC. 2. Whenever any apartments that have been occupied by one suffering with pulmonary tuberculosis shall be vacated by death or removal of the patient, it shall be the duty of the attending physician, members of the family, and landlord, or some one of them, forthwith to report such vacation to the Board of Health, which Board shall promptly send an officer to the premises for a careful inspection thereof. The officer so detailed shall proceed at once to cause said premises to be disinfected and renovated in such manner as the Board of Health shall deem necessary to put the same in a perfect sanitary condition. The work necessary therefor shall be done under the supervision of the Board of Health, subject to its approval, and at the expense of the family to which the patient belongs. Provided that in cases where such family is unable to bear the expenses thereof, the same shall be done by the city without charge.

Deaths from Pulmonary Tuberculosis by Ages.

Under ten years.....	2
Ten to twenty years.....	9
Twenty to thirty years.....	14
Thirty to forty years.	22
Forty to fifty years.....	7
Fifty to fifty-eight years....	9
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Total.....	63
Average age at death, 32 years.	

Deaths (by Months) Resulting from Contagious Diseases.

	Consumption	Typhoid Fever	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria	Total
January	2	1	.....	3	6
February	3	.....	.....	4	7
March	4	.....	2	0	6
April	10	.....	1	2	13
May	6	1	.....	5	12
June	4	.....	.....	2	6
July	6	.....	1	1	8
August	5	6	.....	1	12
September	6	.....	.....	3	9
October	2	1	.....	4	7
November	10	6	.....	6	22
December	5	.....	.....	3	8
	63	15	4	34	116

Deaths by Ages.

Under six months	98
Six months to one year	20
One to two years	22
Two to five years	30
Five to ten years	30
Ten to fifteen years	27
Fifteen to twenty years	29
Twenty to twenty-five years	39
Twenty-five to thirty years	47
Thirty to thirty-five years	48
Thirty-five to forty years	49
Forty to forty-five years	46
Forty-five to fifty years	50
Fifty years to fifty-five years	38
Fifty-five to sixty years	32
Sixty to sixty-five years	39
Sixty-five to seventy years	58
Seventy to seventy-five years	60
Seventy-five to eighty years	60
Eighty to eighty-five years	24
Eighty-five to ninety years	31
Ninety to ninety-three years	7

Deaths by Months.

January	73
February.....	79
March	76
April.....	76
May	89
June	70
July.....	74
August.....	70
September	55
October.....	64
November	74
December.....	84
Grand total	884

Causes of Death.

The following table shows the cause of death, white and colored, as reported to the Health Department:

Cause of Death	White	Colored	Male	Female	Total
Typhoid fever.....	13	2	8	7	15
Malaria	1	....	....	1	1
Scarlet fever.....	4	....	2	2	4
Whooping cough.....	1	....	1	....	1
Diphtheria	33	1	17	17	34
La grippe.....	10	....	3	7	10
Dysentery.....	6	....	4	2	6
Erysipelas	2	....	1	1	2
Cholera Morbus	1	....	1	....	1
Septicæmic infection.....	21	2	7	16	23
Pulmonary tuberculosis.....	57	6	30	33	63
Tubercular laryngitis.....	1	....	1	....	1
Intestinal tuberculosis	7	1	5	3	8
Cancer.....	31	....	12	19	31
Penicuous anæmia	11	1	2	10	12
Meningitis.....	15	....	5	10	15
Cerebral congestion and hemorrhage....	35	1	21	15	36
Paralysis.....	22	....	8	14	22
Convulsions in infants.....	17	....	12	5	17
Other diseases of nervous system.....	17	2	12	7	19
Organic heart disease.....	72	37	35	72
Endocarditis.....	13	4	9	13
Bronchitis.....	22	1	9	14	23

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Cause of Death	White	Colored	Male	Female	Total
Pneumonia.....	105	8	66	42	108
Diarrhoea and enteritis (under two years). .	18	11	7	18
" " " (over two years) ..	12	1	7	6	13
Intestinal obstruction.....	12	1	6	7	18
Peritonitis.....	10	....	8	7	10
Apendicitis.....	7	....	5	2	7
Disease of gastro intestinal organs.....	32	2	17	17	34
Brights disease.....	43	....	30	13	43
Diseases of genito-urinary organs.....	21	....	8	18	21
Puerperal septicaemia	5	....	....	5	5
Other puerperal diseases.....	5	....	....	5	5
Senile gangrene.....	1	....	....	1	1
Senile debility.....	35	2	18	19	87
Premature birth.....	51	2	29	24	53
Spina-bifida.....	2	....	2	....	2
Alcoholism.....	6	....	6	....	6
Suicide	8	....	4	4	8
Accidents.....	56	1	47	10	57
Unknown.....	8	....	9	2	11
Homocide	3	....	2	1	3
	852	32	467	417	884
Still births.....	51	1	30	22	52
Number shipped in for burial					163
Number of burial permits issued					1,099

Burials in Different Cemeteries.

Springdale.....	519
St. Mary.....	95
St. Joseph.....	70
Lutheran.....	63
Jewish	2
Moffatt's.....	54
Poor farm.....	33
Shipped out.....	263
Total.....	1,099

The Dairy Department.

The milk department under the supervision of A. V. Whitney has been conducted in a very satisfactory manner. It has been, from the start, a campaign of education. By intelligent and systematic work, much has been accom-

plished by way of awakening a public interest and directing the attention of dairymen and dealers to the importance of their calling and the danger with which it is fraught if the most minute details are neglected.

During the year there have been five hundred and seventy samples collected and examined as follows:

January	25
February.....	17
March	37
April	55
May	59
June	84
July.....	78
August	58
September	40
October.....	36
November.....	32
December.....	39
Total	570

The average percentage of butter fat for the entire lot was 3.6. While this is a trifle above the requirements of the ordinance, it is not a fair showing for the majority of the supply offered on the market, for the reason that in the early part of the year a few people got the "get-rich-quick" fever, and no one will ever know just how long this was continued before their thirst was satiated by settlements in the police courts. Some of the samples thus discovered were so thoroughly watered and skimmed that it would make good bluing for a laundry. This, of course, reduced the general average.

A large number of dairies were visited during the year, and here is where discoveries were made which led to much agitation. By invitation I made a number of trips with the inspector to the country dairies, and came back fully convinced that the duties of a milk inspector required diligent and consistent work.

A set of rules for the instruction of producers and distributors has been published and mailed to every person

known to handle milk and cream for consumption in this city, and it will be our future purpose to insist on a reasonable compliance.

Report of Visiting Nurse for Year Ending December 31, 1904.

Total number of patients cared for.....	366
Total number of visits made	2024
Total number of baths given	1122
Total number of surgical dressings done.....	452
Total number of articles loaned (hundreds).	
Sheets, gowns, towels, etc.....	157
Cots, beds, air cushions, etc.....	64

The above list of statistics will convey a fair idea of the work done by the nurse employed by the Associated Charities. In every case the visiting nurse tries to teach the people to care for their own sick, instructing in sanitary laws and in the proper preparation of foods. In the work among patients suffering from tuberculosis the nurse has a better opportunity than any one else to teach the people about the disease, the need for good diets, fresh air, hygenic living and disinfecting. It is wonderful how willing the poor people are to grasp the idea of importance in this matter.

The visiting nurse takes this opportunity of thanking the Hon. E. N. Woodruff, Mayor of Peoria, for the many pounds of ice which he furnished free to so many of the poor people during the summers of 1903-4. Also to thank the City Council for book of car tickets given her each month.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE M. KEYS,
Visiting Nurse.

From records kept by W. A. McMillan, our fumigator, there has been during the year 272 cases of diphtheria, and 238 recovered. There were 92 cases of scarlet fever of which 88 recovered. Of small-pox we had 37 cases and all recovered. We have now under quarantine eight cases of diphtheria, six cases of scarlet fever and three cases of small-pox. The last three named are in the Detention hospital, and every home except those under quarantine have been thoroughly disinfected.

During the year there were 8,291 inspections made by this department, not including plumbing, or dairies, cutting of weeds or trimming of trees.

Bacteriological Laboratory.

It is the desire of every citizen and professional man in the City of Peoria to keep abreast with modern progress, and we are proud of the many advances our metropolis is making. I regret to say, however, our Health Department is especially lame in one particular, that of a well equipped bacteriological laboratory. We should be prepared to make bacteriological examinations for diseases of known microbic origin, such as pulmonary tuberculosis, typhoid fever, diphtheria, etc. This, however, would necessitate the Commissioner spending most of his time in the laboratory, which he could not afford to do at the present stipulated remuneration. In most cities the size of Peoria an able bacteriologist is a permanent fixture in the Health Department, as it should be in our city. This would materially assist our busy physicians, who have not the time to personally make such investigations in questionable cases, thus enabling them to make a positive diagnosis, saying nothing of the heartaches resulting from possible errors. You may answer that the funds in this department will not justify the necessary expenditures to accomplish the above results, but gentleman, no expense is too great when it comes to a matter of guarding the public health against pestilential infections and death.

In conclusion I wish to thank my subordinates connected with the department for their courteous deportment and willing assistance at all times.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY M. HAYES,
Commissioner of Health.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith to your honorable body the annual report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31st, 1904.

Much of the work of the Police Department which in itself demands much thought, research and labor, is performed in the office of the Chief of Police, and although fully recorded upon the archives of the office, cannot be enumerated or published.

The force, as described hereafter, has done its duty nobly, but under the growing population and the territory of our city, and the constant requests for police protection from citizens in the newly built up sections, and our utter inability to extend the precincts as at present constituted, they being already larger than they should be, with the force of patrolman at my disposal, I believe the time has come when the force should be considerably augmented, and respectfully recommend that about thirty more patrolmen be appointed.

The discipline of the department during the past year has been most excellent, and the charges preferred against officers were very rare and in most cases of a very trivial nature. I have had three men discharged for drunkenness during the past year, that being the most serious charge preferred against any officer.

I deeply regret having to chronicle the death of Officers Campbell, Martin and Pulsipher during the year. Officer Campbell had been a member of the department for about eighteen years, and was always a very capable and efficient officer.

Officers Martin and Pulsipher, while not connected with the department as long as Officer Campbell, were nevertheless excellent officers.

I would also recommend the building of a modern patrol and ambulance house as the present structure used for that purpose is inadequate, unsanitary, unhealthy and dangerous, in fact it should be condemned and torn down, as one of the walls bulges from six to eight inches.

I have recently called the Building Inspector's attention to the dangerous condition of this building and if we continue much longer the use of it in its present condition I am satisfied that an accident will happen that will in all probability cost the city more than it would to build a modern and up-to-date patrol and ambulance house.

I have within the past year had the patrol and ambulance repaired and painted and at the present time they are in excellent condition. Our horses are all young and in good condition, in fact we have at the present time the best horses the department has ever had.

The Department.

The Police Department is composed as follows:

The Mayor Ex-Officio Commissioner	1
Commissioners	2
Clerk of Police and Fire Board.....	1
Superintendent	1
Captain	1
Lieutenant	1
Desk Sergeant, Acting Private Secretary to the Superintendent.....	1
Sergeants, Station House.....	2
Roundsmen	2
Justice to Police.....	1
Photographer	1
Chief Operator	1
Assistants	2
Superintendent Electrical Department	1
Linemen	2
Patrol Wagon Drivers	2
Conductors of Patrol Wagon.....	2
Ambulance Drivers.....	2
Conductors of Ambulance.....	2
Detectives	3
Patrolman	55
Matron	1

Financial Statement.

Total amount of fines and costs assessed by Magistrate.....	\$16,991.33
Collected in cash by Magistrate.....	\$ 3,788.90
Paid by imprisonment in House of Correction..	7,842.23
Suspended.....	3,694.05
Appealed	718.25
Oustanding.....	918.05
Paid by imprisonment in County Jail.....	34.85
	<u>\$16,991.33</u>
Total number of persons arrested during year..	3,836
Female	567
Male.....	2,769
	<u>3,836</u>
Prosecuted during year.....	2,214
Released without prosecution.....	1,122
Discharged by Magistrate.....	567
Sent to House of Correction.....	500
Sent to jail to await action of Grand Jury.....	191
Giving bonds for appearance before court.....	64
Appealing their cases to County Court.....	24
Appealing their cases to Circuit Court	14
Sent to hospitals.....	14
Fines suspended.....	274
Persons given lodging for the night.....	533

Patrol Wagon Runs for 1904.

The patrol wagon was called into use 1,999 times during the year 1904, as follows:

	Alarms	Miles	Blocks
January.....	141	297	6
February.....	143	263	..
March.....	154	296	4
April.....	143	265	4
May.....	164	312	4
June.....	186	408	8
July.....	182	388	4
August.....	204	383	6
September.....	216	402	..
October.....	158	315	1
November.....	155	323	9
December.....	153	343	11
Total.....	1,999	3,949	4

Ambulance Runs for 1904.

The ambulance was called into use during the year, 1904, as follows:

	Alarms	Miles	Blocks
January.....	129	481	..
February.....	159	528	3
March.....	134	449	11
April.....	113	382	8
May.....	131	457	8
June.....	130	469	9
July.....	180	442	7
August.....	118	375	5
September.....	121	388	6
October.....	117	403	11
November.....	134	415	5
December.....	158	500	..
Total.....	1,574	5,272	11

Electric Lights Reported Out.

There were one thousand, five hundred and sixty-five street lights reported out by officers of the Department during the year 1904, as follows:

January	100	July.....	175
February.....	153	August.....	200
March.....	102	September.....	259
April.....	62	October.....	181
May.....	68	November.....	107
June.....	73	December.....	86

Total electric lights reported out..... 1,565

Of this number of lights reported, 139 were docked.

Horses and Cattle Found.

There were 97 strayed and stolen horses and cattle found during the year 1904 by members of the Police Department, and restored to the owners.

Arrested on Telegrams and Letters.

There were forty-two persons arrested on telegrams and letters from out of town departments during the year 1904, as follows:

January	3	July.....	4
February.....	2	August.....	8
March	4	September.....	8
April.....	3	October.....	3
May	1	November.....	3
June	3	December.....	0

City Cases.

Assault and battery.....	177
Assault.....	12
Abusive language.....	17
Attempt to suicide.....	1
Allowing domestic animals to run at large.....	1
Breach of peace.....	2
Begging.....	20
Blockading sidewalk.....	1
Conducting bakery without license.....	2
Commitment.....	48
Cruelty to animals.....	8
Casting rubbish in street.....	1
Carrying concealed weapons.....	28
Chicken fighting.....	3
Contempt of court.....	1
Capias.....	1
Committing nuisance.....	1
Drunk.....	758
Drunk and disorderly.....	457
Disorderly conduct.....	361
Demented.....	24
Destroying private property.....	28
Delirium tremens.....	12
Destroying city property.....	3
Dumping rubbish on public highway.....	3
Exposing person.....	2
Escape from Illinois State Asylum.....	2
Frequenting house of ill-fame.....	20
Fighting.....	87
Frequenting gaming house.....	2
Fast driving.....	3
Gaming	1
Interfering with officer.....	6
Impersonating an officer	1
Inmate disorderly house	1
Inmate house of ill-fame	92
Jumping on railroad cars.....	8

Jumping on street cars.....	1
Keeper of disorderly house.....	7
Keeper of house of ill-fame	31
Keeper of vicious dog	6
Keeper of gaming house	1
Leasing house for immoral purpose.....	11
Malicious mischief.....	1
Operating slot machines	2
Operating express without license.....	1
Peace warrant.....	2
Peddling without license.....	6
Runaway girls.....	3
Resisting an officer	3
Renting rooms for immoral purposes	1
Runaway boys.....	18
Running engine on pavement.....	2
Resisting City Sealer.....	2
Saloon open after hours.....	6
Suspects.....	249
Sick	14
Selling liquor to minors.....	2
Selling liquor without license.....	2
Street walking.....	43
Trespassing	75
Threatening and traducing.....	4
Throwing missiles.....	6
Vagrancy	139
Violating sanitary ordinance.....	1
Violating city ordinance.....	10
Wayward girls.....	5
Witnesses	10

State Cases.

Adultery	17
Assault with deadly weapon.....	23
Assault with intent to kill	5
Assault with intent to commit rape.....	4
Attempted burglary	4
Attempted robbery	1
Accessory to robbery	1
Burglary	38
Burglary and larceny.....	66
Bastardy	1
Confidence game	7
Crime against nature.....	2

Child abandonment	1
Defrauding board bill.....	3
Disposing mortgaged property	1
Defrauding inn-keeper.....	2
Embezzlement.....	2
Enticing girls for immoral purpose	2
Enticing minor into house of ill-fame	1
False pretense	4
Forgery	3
Fornication	1
Grand Larceny.....	1
Highway robbery.....	5
Hunting without license.....	1
Horse stealing	3
Keeping minor in house of ill-fame.....	1
Larceny.....	211
Larceny as bailee	6
Mayhem	1
Murder	1
Obtaining money under false pretense.....	3
Obtaining goods under false pretense.....	2
Passing counterfeit money.....	1
Perjury	1
Petty larceny.....	5
Robbery	10
Rape	4
Receiving stolen property	13
Seduction	2
State reformatory.....	1
Threatening to kill	1
Wife abandonment	13
Wife and child abandonment.....	7

U. S. Cases.

Deserter U. S. Army.....	4
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Respectfully,

W. W. RHOADES,
Superintendent of Police.

POLICE MATRON'S REPORT.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith respectfully submit the annual report of the Police Matron of Peoria for the year ending December 31st, 1904.

Females arrested during the year 599

Causes of Arrest.

Abusive language	3
Adultery.....	5
Adultery and fornication	3
Assault.....	3
Assault with deadly weapon	1
Assault with intent to kill	1
Assault and battery.....	19
Attempted burglary	1
Attempted larceny.....	1
Attempted suicide.....	1
Breach of the peace.....	1
Burglary and larceny.	1
Commitment.....	15
Demented.....	2
Destroying private property.....	3
Disorderly conduct	155
Doing business as a baker without license	1
Drunk	26
Drunk and disorderly	70
Enticing girls for immoral purposes.....	1
Enticing minors to enter houses of ill-fame.....	2
Enticing minor to house of ill-fame	1
Fighting	20
Frequenting house of ill-fame.....	2
Inmates of houses of ill-fame.....	92
Inmate disorderly house.....	1
Keeping disorderly house	5
Keeping house for immoral purposes	2
Keeping a minor in house of ill-fame	1

Keeping dangerous dog at large.....	1
Keepers of houses of ill-fame.....	24
Larceny.....	31
Larceny as bailee.....	1
Leasing premises for immoral purposes.....	4
Obtaining money by false pretense	1
Old commitment	1
On capias.....	1
Profane and threatening language	3
Receiving stolen property	2
Renting rooms for immoral purposes	1
Robbery	2
Runaways.....	3
Street walking.....	43
Suspects	24
Throwing slop on adjoining premises.....	1
Trespass	8
Vagrant.....	1
Wayward	5
Witness	2
Cases investigated	852
Fifty-one deserted wives with 117 children helped.	
Employment found for.....	35
Garments distributed to worthy poor	189
Legal adoptions	12
Placed in homes, not adopted	11
Placed in State institutions.....	3
Preventive work with wayward girls.....	17
Returned to distant homes.....	12
Sent to Cottage Hospital	12
Put under care of county physician	17
Sent to Florence Crittenton Home	17
Sent to Home for the Friendless	19
Sent to Home of the Good Shepherd	10
Wayward girls cared for.....	42

Respectfully submitted,

JENNIE E. STOUFFER,
Police Matron.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

REPORT OF INSPECTORS.

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—We have the honor to present herewith the annual report of the House of Correction for the period ending December 31st, 1904. We append hereto the report of the Superintendent and the County Physician (the latter officer being the attending physician of the institution) and make them a part of our report.

The usual good care and attention has been given the inmates, and their welfare has never been lost sight of and punishment has been administered only as a last resource; an occasional reprimand seems to be all that is necessary to carry out our rules and maintain good order.

We have endeavored during the past year to maintain the high sanitary condition of the institution. Its condition as to cleanliness has at all times been excellent.

The general health of those confined in the institution during the past year has been remarkably good considering the physical condition when received. The regular hours to retire and arise, with a variety of plain but substantial food, including vegetables, serve to fulfill their purpose in improving the physical condition of those committed to our care. We have had no cases of contagious disease.

It is a matter worthy of note that while our population for the year 1904 was 585, it being an increase of 138 more than the previous year, we had no deaths during the entire year.

The report of the physician will give complete information relative to the sickness of the inmates.

During the year from March 25 to April 12 we were surrounded by water from the Illinois river, which did

great damage to the property and material. The fences on the west were all washed away, causing us to build 1,320 feet of new fence, rebuild blacksmith shop, new wall under barn and new bleach house.

We call your special attention to the fact that all the repairs made, together with the work of every character performed about the institution has been done by our own inmates under the supervision and direction of their respective instructors.

Our motto is work, believing that there can be but little or no correction without it, and that a reasonable amount of work promotes habits of industry, teaches the person a useful employment, and in many instances starts him on the road to a profitable and honorable career and enables the city to be partly recompensed for the care and maintenance of those who have transgressed its laws or the laws of the State.

The employment given the men of the institution is brick making in summer months and broom making in winter months. There has been paid over to the City Treasurer \$6,035.23 for the year 1904.

As to all other matters in detail we respectfully submit the report of the Superintendent and make them a part of our report. Respectfully submitted,

E. N. WOODRUFF,
ADOLPH WOOLNER, JR.,
A. V. THOMAS,
FRANK BAKER,
Inspectors.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

*To His Excellency, R. Yates, Governor of Illinois,
and the Honorable City Council of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:—I have the pleasure to submit my annual report as Superintendent of the House of Correction, it being for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1904.

The following tables show in detail all necessary facts of the business of the year:

Statistical Report.

	Males	Females	Total
In prison January 1st, 1904.....	41	4	45
Received during year.....	499	36	535
Total	540	40	580
Discharged during year.....	488	36	524
In prison January 1st, 1905.....	52	4	56
Total	540	40	580

From What Source Received.

From Police Court.....	474
From Circuit Court	6
From County Court.....	38
From United States Court.....	15
From City of Chillicothe.....	1
From Village of Brimfield.....	1
Total	535

How Released.

Sentence served.....	350
Pardoned by Mayor Woodruff.....	91
Pardoned by Mayor Newsam (pro tem)	2
Pardoned by Governor Yates	1
Sent to Hospital.....	6
Paid fines to House of Correction.	70
Appeal Bond.....	4
Total	524

Terms of Sentence.

\$ 5.00 to \$10.00	145
10.00 to 15.00	161
15.00 to 20.00	36
20.00 to 30.00	94
30.00 to 40.00	12
40.00 to 50.00	1
50.00 to 60.00	18
60.00 to 70.00	4
70.00 to 80.00	1
80.00 to 90.00	1
90.00 to 110.00	8
1 year and \$500.00	1
1 year and 109.85	3
1 year and 63.50	1
1 year and 34.85	2
1 year and 30.85	1
1 year and 19.85	4
9 months and \$17.50	1
7 months and 14.50	1
6 months and 34.85	9
6 months and 32.10	1
6 months and 19.85	5
6 months and 14.50	1
6 months and 9.85	1
4 months and 37.50	1
4 months and 19.85	1
3 months and 34.85	3
3 months and 19.85	2
3 months and 10.85	1
90 days and \$100.00	1
60 days and 10.85	1
60 days and 9.85	1
30 days and 19.85	1
30 days and 14.85	1
100 days	1
1 day	1
\$100.00	8
Total	535

Nature of Offense.

Assault	2
Assault and battery	13

Assault with deadly weapon.....	3
Carrying concealed weapon.....	6
Concealing property.....	6
Cruelty to animals.....	1
Drunk.....	62
Drunk and disorderly.....	161
Disorderly conduct.....	29
Drunk and trespassing.....	3
Drunk and begging.....	1
Drunk and vagrancy.....	19
Destroying property.....	2
Exposing person.....	1
Frequenting house of ill-fame.....	4
Fighting.....	11
False pretense.....	1
Gambling.....	1
Inmate house of ill-fame.....	1
Jumping on cars.....	2
Larceny.....	31
Malicious mischief.....	1
Profane language.....	3
Resisting an officer.....	1
Sleeping in barns.....	1
Street walking.....	2
Selling liquor without license.....	15
Taking letters from postoffice.....	1
Trespassing.....	20
Vagrancy.....	135
Total	535

	Nativity of Prisoners.	Prisoners	Parents
United States	451	280	
Germany.....	22	73	
France.....	1	6	
Ireland	16	118	
Italy	2	2	
England	12	15	
Scotland	14	16	
Hungarian	2	2	
Sweden	5	10	
Indian	1	1	
Welsh	1	2	
Denmark	1	2	
Jewish	3	3	
Roumanian	1	1	

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	Nativity of Prisoners—Continued.	Prisoners	Parents
Norway		1	1
Switzerland		1	2
Syrian		1	1
Total		535	535

Ages.

15 years of age	2
16 years of age	9
17 years of age	4
18 years of age	8
19 years of age	24
20 to 22 years of age	21
22 to 30 years of age	137
30 to 40 years of age	145
40 to 50 years of age	96
50 to 60 years of age	63
60 to 70 years of age	18
71 years of age.....	1
74 years of age.....	1
77 years of age.....	4
78 years of age.....	2
Total	535

Social Condition.

Married	125
Single	410
Total	535
Having children.....	96
Having no children	439
Total	535
Having parents	393
Having no parents.....	142
Total	535
White.....	501
Black	33
Red.....	1
Total	535

Education.

Could read and write	509
Could neither read nor write	25
Could read only	1
Total	535
 Served in penal institution	217
Claimed to be first imprisonment	318
Total	535

Occupation.

Artist	1
Advertiser.....	2
Ballplayer.....	1
Billposter	1
Bookbinder	1
Baker.....	2
Broommaker	2
Brickmaker	3
Benchworker	1
Barber	5
Boilermaker.....	6
Butcher	2
Blacksmith.....	2
Brewer.....	1
Bricklayer	4
Bartender	2
Cook.....	15
Cigarmaker	5
Carpenter	9
Coal miner	15
Clerk	4
Cement finisher	1
Clergyman	1
Cooper.....	3
Conductor	1
Engineer.....	6
Fisherman	1
Farmer	5
Gasfitter	2
Gardener	2
Housework	36
Horseman	5

Huckster.....	2
Hodcarrier	1
Ironworker	2
Lather	2
Laborer	285
Machinist	5
Maltster	2
Miner	8
Molder	3
Plumber	2
Peddler	6
Poet	4
Plasterer	2
Painter	10
Paver	4
Puddler	2
Potter	2
Printer	3
Porter	1
Railroader	10
Rubber worker	1
Shoemaker	4
Salesman	4
Slater	1
Showman	2
Switchman	1
Stonemason	1
Teamster	10
Tinner	2
Telegraph operator	1
Tailor	1
Weaver	2
Waiter	2
Total.....	535

Rations Issued.

January.....	1,610
February.....	1,538
March.....	1,420
April.....	1,285
May.....	1,322
June.....	1,668
July.....	1,724
August.....	1,594
September.....	1,270
October.....	1,678
November.....	1,568
December.....	1,824
Total.....	18,501

How Employed—No. of Days Employed Each Month.

MALES	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
	928	946	769	362	193	630	1,054	947	833	564	1,126	5,071	5,406
Broom-making	8	71	66	71	77	69	78	75	81	75	78	41	5,406
Brick-making	46	62	25	32	26	23	26	25	27	25	26	52	309
Teamsters	23	25	25	26	26	23	26	25	27	25	26	26	303
Yard and Barn	23	25	25	26	26	23	26	25	27	25	26	26	240
Fireman	41	52	55	52	46	52	40	54	50	52	50	55	599
Janitors	23	49	26	4	12	21	17	25	20	1	9	33	240
Invalids	27	48	62	71	52	74	51	10	62	64	67	17	605
Kitchen	121	29	111	232	126	85	143	145	157	72	46	37	1,304
Unemployed	281	197	164	160	258	212	307	172	202	287	245	255	2,690
Holidays	11	.....	.....	51	34	2	.....	.....	.....	7	15	5	125
Carpenters .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24
Whitewashing .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27
Bricklayers .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Painters .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
FEMALES	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Women	61	30	33	18	41	33	79	185	60	85	54	129	808
Holidays	17	4	5	8	5	5	15	29	13	14	12	22	147
Total	1,610	1,588	1,420	1,285	1,322	1,688	1,724	1,594	1,270	1,678	1,588	1,824	18,501

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Board of Inspectors of the
House of Correction of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report for the year 1904—January 1st to December 31st.

The general health at this institution has been above the average of former years during my service. Excellent sanitary conditions are maintained and no epidemic diseases have gained hold during the year. Few cases of sickness have occurred, other than with those whose condition on entrance was, from previous exposure, accidents or injuries, already bad.

I wish to commend the Superintendent and his able corps of assistants on the way in which the inmates are managed, and especially with reference to the excellent system of employment, selection of food and general care of bodily vigor which are so essential to confined persons and should be maintained in every prison.

While I have been called several times to attend at this institution much of the work has been minor surgical in nature and no deaths have occurred.

Five were removed to hospitals for treatment.

In every way I consider this institution well and efficiently managed from every point of view.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK B. LUCAS,

County Physician.

Financial Statement.

City of Peoria, wages and supplies.....	\$ 13,178.86
Bills audited to be paid	2,246.49
Total	\$ 15,425.35

Receipts from Other Sources.

Sale of old iron	2.75
Sale of old lead.....	50
Fines	564.85
City of Chillicothe	6.75
Village of Brimfield.....	19.35
United States.....	78.53
Peoria County....	1,005.60
Cash sale of brick.....	304.50
Accounts receivable	5,101.06
Balance on hand January 1, 1904	308.01
Total	\$ 22,811.25

Cash Payments.

By salaries	6,648.50
Groceries	743.12
Meats.....	1,392.68
Flour and meal.....	570.80
Vegetables	180.82
Dispensary	23.50
Bedding and clothing.....	383.43
Furniture	98.28
Furnishing and tools. .	7.50
Barn and forage	1,806.89
Incidentals	553.61
Manufacturing department	1,652.00
Improvement and repairs.....	442.66
Fuel and light	921.56
City treasurer, deposits	6,035.23
Cash on hand January 1, 1905.....	1,850.67
Total.....	\$ 22,811.25

Groceries.

April Jobst, Bethard & Co...	\$ 47.49
Wilson Grocery Co.....	46.19
Wm. Gleason.....	25.77 \$ 119.45

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July	Jobst, Bethard & Co.....	21.13	
	Wilson Grocery Co.....	77.53	
	P. C. Bartlett.....	51.73	
	Jas. McCoy & Co.....	29.99	180.38
Oct.	Jobst, Bethard & Co.....	87.49	
	Wilson Grocery Co.....	28.85	
	Jas. McCoy & Co.....	31.62	
	Chas. Jaeger	45.39	
	R. E. Grimm.....	24.40	
	Lion Vinegar Works.....	8.00	
	P. C. Bartlett.....	2.05	222.80
Dec.	Jobst, Bethard & Co.....	68.70	
	Wilson Grocery Co.....	110.87	
	T. J. Duane	40.92	220.49

Total	\$	743.12
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Meats.

April	L. W. Moorehouse.....\$	246.06	246.06
July	C. E. Bunn.....	318.87	318.87
Oct.	L. C. Fuchs.....	405.35	405.35
Dec.	L. C. Fuchs	422.40	422.40
	Total	\$	1,392.68

Flour and Meal.

April	J. W. Gift & Co.....\$	41.80	
	Horace Clark & Sons Co.....	47.00	88.80
July	Donmeyer, Gardner & Co..	51.60	
	S. L. Patterson	50.00	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	47.00	148.60
Oct.	S. L. Patterson	50.00	
	Jobst, Bethard & Co.....	48.00	
	Horace Clark & Sons Co.....	54.00	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	4.60	156.60
Dec.	J. W. Gift & Co.....	119.80	
	Donmeyer, Gardner & Co.....	57.00	176.80
	Total.....	\$	8570.80

Vegetables.

April	Nelson & Finch.....\$	40.22	
	J. G. Reuter & Co.....	1.50	41.72
July	J. G. Reuter & Co.	50.93	50.93
Oct.	J. G. Reuter & Co.....	20.35	
	Campbell-Thomas & Co.....	15.70	36.05
Dec.	Nelson & Finch.....	38.12	
	J. G. Reuter & Co.....	14.00	52.12
	Total	\$	180.82

Dispensary.

April	R. D. McDougal	\$ 6.35	6.35
July	R. D. McDougal	6.05	6.05
Oct.	R. D. McDougal	7.15	
	L. T. Sprague.....	1.90	9.05
Dec.	R. D. McDougal.....	2.05	2.05
	Total.....		\$ 23.50

Bedding and Clothing.

April	I. N. Martin Dry Goods Co.....	\$ 39.29	
	J. C. Wynd & Co.....	20.50	59.79
July	I. N. Martin Dry Goods Co.....	30.31	
	R. M. Bergner & Co.....	30.00	
	J. P. Schnellbacher	12.00	
	The B. & M.....	6.00	78.31
Oct.	J. P. Schnellbacher	25.75	
	Mrs. R. Eberhardt.....	12.60	38.85
Dec.	I. N. Martin Dry Goods Co.....	115.58	
	J. C. Wynd & Co.....	18.00	
	J. Schradzki	24.00	
	J. P. Schnellbacher.....	44.60	
	Mrs. R. Eberhardt .. .	4.80	206.98
	Total		\$ 383.43

Furniture.

April	Hunter & Strehlow.....	\$ 9.45	9.45
July	Schipper & Block	18.88	
	Arthur P. Reed.....	37.40	56.28
Oct.	H. Sandmeyer & Co.....	11.95	11.95
Dec.	Hunter & Strehlow	6.60	
	F. Meyer & Bros. Co.....	14.00	20.60
	Total		\$ 98.28

Furnishing and Tools.

July	Chas. Johnson.....	\$ 7.50	7.50
	Total.....		\$ 7.50

Barn and Forage.

April	Sundry farmers.....	\$ 156.14	
	A. D. Campbell Hay Co	89.02	
	P. A. Flanagan	34.10	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	17.50	
	The Western Horse and Cattle Food Co..	11.00	307.76

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July	Sundry farmers.....	176.76	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	22.84	
	Wm. Hupe.....	19.10	
	F. H. O'Rourke & Son.....	26.00	
	A. D. Campbell Hay Co.....	108.23	
	Adam Kohl.....	140.00	
	The Fisher Buggy Co.....	69.00	
	H. Gander & Son.....	40.60	
	R. McClugagge.....	12.30	
	Dr. J. A. Calder	13.00	627.83
Oct.	Sundry farmers.....	183.89	
	A. D. Campbell Hay Co.....	103.10	
	American Milling Co.....	61.25	
	Jas. Whelan	38.30	
	S. L. Patterson	22.82	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	27.00	
	H. Gander & Son.....	5.30	
	Wm. Hupe.....	10.00	
	Dr. John Scott.....	10.50	
	Standard Oil Co.....	8.00	470.16
Dec.	Sundry farmers.....	170.47	
	A. D. Campbell Hay Co.....	138.62	
	Western Horse and Cattle Food Co.....	11.00	
	American Milling Co.....	17.50	
	J. W. Gift & Co.....	27.00	
	Wm. Hupe.....	8.10	
	H. Gander & Son.....	2.45	
	P. A. Flanagan.....	26.00	401.14
	Total.....		\$ 1,806.89

Incidentals.

April	Sundry persons.....	57.03	
	Oakford & Fahnestock.....	27.60	
	Peoria Printing & Stationery Co.....	10.75	
	J. C. Streibich.....	1.90	
	E. Stoltze	19.44	
	Worrell Mfg. Co.....	20.00	
	J. H. Blusch.....	14.06	
	Theo. J. Muller.....	25.00	
	Roswell Bills & Co.....	42.19	217.97
July	Sundry persons.....	69.81	
	J. C. Streibich	4.26	
	Oakford & Fahnestock	15.00	89.07

Oct.	Sundry persons.....	55.72
	The Sanitas Co.....	16.50
	The Beehive Press.....	2.00 74.22
Dec.	Sundry persons.....	68.85
	Worrell Mfg. Co.....	20.00
	J. W. Franks & Sons	17.50
	Woodruff Ice Co.....	66.00 172.35
	Total	\$ 553.61

Manufacturing Department.

April	Proctor Lumber Co.....	\$ 91.79
	East Peoria Lumber Co.....	5.75 97.54
July	Peoria Water Co.....	50.00
	The Tiffin Wagon Co.....	30.00
	Jas. West	330.00
	J. C. Armstrong	1.55 411.55
Oct.	Peoria Water Co.....	50.00
	Arthur Keithley	250.00
	F. Olander.....	148.41
	Henry Schroeder.....	192.50
	Jas. West	187.50
	Excelsior Foundry Co.....	7.00 830.41
Dec.	Herbert Schnebly.....	175.00
	Nick Hoffman.....	4.50
	Wm. Bittel.....	3.00
	Wm. M. Rork.....	85.00
	Jas. West.....	45.00 312.50
	Total	\$ 1,652.00

Improvement and Repairs.

April	Nailon Bros. Co.....	\$ 32.60
	O. C. Slane.....	22.95
	M. J. Kavanaugh	6.55
	J. W. Mackemer.....	14.59
	L. T. Sprague	1.40
	Peoria Roofing Co.....	2.30
	Kinsey & Mahler Co.....	14.95
	Crawley Electric Co.....	2.40 97.74
July	J. W. Mackemer.....	30.79
	J. C. Proctor Lumber Co.....	17.61
	L. T. Sprague.....	2.50
	O. C. Slane...	31.90
	W. S. Eichenberger	3.00
	Nailon Bros.....	3.80

	F. Meyer & Bros.....	3.30	
	Feger Electric Co.....	1.50	
	Peoria Roofing Co.....	6.00	
	Wallace Matthews.....	30.00	
	Keystone Fence Co.....	16.80	147.20
Oct.	Nailon Bros.....	80.18	
	Frank McLaughlin	4.30	
	O. C. Slane.....	10.50	
	John Schneider.....	10.15	
	Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	8.40	
	Peoria Roofing Co.....	18.94	
	J. W. Mackemer.....	8.09	
	Culter & Proctor.....	2.60	
	L. T. Sprague	17.53	160.64
Dec.	J. W. Mackemer.....	6.88	
	Culter & Proctor	4.51	
	Peoria Fuel Co.....	1.00	
	L. T. Sprague	2.68	
	Feger Electric Co.....	4.85	
	O. C. Slane.....	11.90	
	W. S. Eichenberger.....	5.76	37.08
	Total	\$ 442.66	

Fuel and Light.

April	F. Olander	\$ 378.55	
	The B. & B. Coal Co.....	7.10	
	John W. Adams.....	2.25	387.90
July	F. Olander	109.23	
	H. W. Lynch.....	52.80	
	Peoria Gas Light & Coke Co.....	60.10	222.13
Oct.	H. W. Lynch.....	75.35	
	Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	14.20	89.55
Dec.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	39.00	
	H. W. Lynch.....	124.20	
	F. Olander	58.78	221.98
	Total	\$ 921.56	

Current Expenses.

Daily rations issued during year.....	18,501	
Average number of prisoners daily.....	50+	
Paid for provisions.....	\$ 2,887.42	
Paid for bedding and clothing.....	383.43	
Paid for all other expenses.....	12,154.50	
Total	\$ 15,425.30	

Expense for Prisoners During Year. (Per Capita.)

	Per Day.	Per Year.
For provisions.....	.15% ¹⁰	\$ 56.94
For bedding and clothing .....	.02% ¹⁰	9.85
For all other expenses	<u>.65%¹⁰</u>	<u>239.44</u>
Total.....	.84	\$306.55

Broom Department.

At the commencement of the year, October 1, 1903, the condition of the department was as follows:

Merchandise	\$ 3,842.78
Machinery and tools	696.70
Accounts receivable	1,449.90
Cash on hand.....	3,903.56
Total	\$ 9,882.94
The year closes with—	
Merchandise	\$ 4,442.75
Machinery and tools.....	724.29
Accounts receivable.....	1,398.10
Cash on hand.....	4,317.84
Profit and loss.....	650.50
Total	\$ 11,533.48
Showing a net gain of.....	
	\$ 1,650.54

RECAPITULATION.**Debits.**

City of Peoria, wages and supplies	\$ 15,425.35
Accounts receivable close of 1903.....	1,785.10
Stock valuation.....	13,055.10
Cash on hand.....	308.01
Total	\$30,573.56

Credits.

Paid City Treasurer.....	6,035.23
Accounts receivable close of 1904.....	1,830.35
Stock valuation.....	12,037.08
Permanent improvements	4,127.97
Profit in broom department	1,650.54
Cash on hand	1,350.67
Sundry labor, filling, etc.....	3,302.50
Profit and loss.....	295.00
Total	\$30,629.34

The statistics hereby submitted for the year ending December 31st, 1904, are as brief and comprehensive as possible, endeavoring, however, to present a complete statement of work done in the different departments during the year just closed.

The most encouraging item in the past year's history of the House of Correction is the remarkable degree of good health among the inmates.

During the year we received 535 prisoners, and I can not refrain from drawing your special attention to the fact that we had no escapes. This is proof of the strict attention paid by the officers employed.

Religious services were conducted each Sabbath afternoon by Mr. E. McDermand, August F. Klein and others who kindly assisted them. And their meetings I believe are a great benefit to the inmates. Our thanks are due for their continued interest in these unfortunate ones.

In conclusion I acknowledge my obligations to the Hon. Mayor E. N. Woodruff, Frank Baker, A. V. Thomas and Adolph Woolner, Jr., for their uniform kindness and hearty co-operation in all of the arduous duties which have come to me as superintendent of this institution.

I also desire to thank Mr. E. S. Willcox, public librarian, and Mrs. B. F. Cartwright, Mrs. Lindsay McCoy, Robt. W. Dwyer, Dan R. Sheen and Thos. H. Detweiller and others for books, magazines and papers.

I also desire to thank the ladies of the W. C. T. U. for their generous donation of flowers and papers.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH BRODMAN,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF BOILER INSPECTOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned Boiler Inspector of the City of Peoria, respectfully submits his annual report from January 1st, 1904, to December 31st, 1904, as follows:

Boilers Inspected.

Tubular	227
Water tube.....	67
Haxtun	26
Vertical tubular	22
Portable	17
Riveted flue.....	16
Internal furnace	10
Holley down draft.....	9
Monarch	8
Cast Iron.....	9
 Total boilers inspected.....	 411
Rendering tanks inspected.....	10
Cookers inspected	17
Copper convertors inspected.....	3
Purifiers inspected	1
 Total number of inspections.....	 442
New boilers inspected, high pressure	10
Old boilers inspected, high pressure.....	275
New boilers inspected, low pressure	5
Old boilers inspected, low pressure	119
 Total boilers in safe condition	 409
Three calls out of city where three boilers were ordered repaired.	
Thirty-one boilers in city ordered repaired.	
Three rendering tanks ordered repaired.	
Two boilers condemned.	

W. F. THOMAS,
Boiler Inspector.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EXAMINING ENGINEERS.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council:

We, the Board of Examining Engineers, beg leave to submit to your honorable body our Annual Report, dating from January 1st, 1904, to December 31st, 1904.

Receipts.

To 26 new licenses granted at \$5.00	\$130.00
To 234 old licenses re-issued at \$2.00.....	468.00
To 20 new boiler tenders' licenses granted at \$2.00	40.00
To 71 old boiler tenders' licenses re-issued at \$1.00	71.00
Total receipts for year.....	\$709.00

Disbursements.

37 regular meetings at \$9.00.....	\$333.00
Clerk's salary 37 meetings at \$1.50.....	55.50
Postage stamps.....	6.00
Miscellaneous supplies.....	39.00
Total disbursements for year.....	\$433.50
Total receipts.....	\$709.00
Total disbursements.....	433.50
Paid into city.....	\$275.50

F. R. LEWIS,
Jos. STREIBICH,
Wm. F. THOMAS.
Jos. STREIBICH, Secretary.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

Statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Peoria Public Library for the calendar year, January 1 to December 31, 1904:

RECEIPTS.

To petty cash on hand	\$ 188.31
To city appropriation, 1904	17,000.00
To desk receipts	895.50
To overdrawn	426.45
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	\$ 18,360.26

EXPENDITURES.

By books	\$ 4,049.68
By periodicals	817.52
By light	1,684.54
By fuel	512.89
By expense	1,815.73
By stationery	249.81
By improvement	203.90
By bindery materials	263.26
By furniture	64.25
By insurance	180.00
By tools	3.10
By salaries and wages	9,078.64
By petty cash on hand	31.94
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	\$ 18,360.26

The Peoria Public Library employs regularly one chief librarian and eight assistant librarians in the library proper, one night assistant, one foreman and three assistants in its bindery, and one engineer and one janitress.

If the expenditures seem large, it should be borne in mind that with a collection of over 90,000 volumes, 300 periodicals regularly taken and a yearly issue to our public of 175,000 volumes for home use this library ranks among the largest, most generously equipped and best patronized libraries in the United States. It is in reality a people's col-

lege, supplying a post-graduate course to our public schools, private schools and higher institutes of learning, indeed to all classes of inquiring students.

I do not think it improper to add that among all the public libraries whose annual reports come to hand I know of none of our size that shows better results with so small a force, that has a more intelligent, obliging and efficient body of assistants, none more flatteringly appreciated by their patrons or more ungrudgingly supported by the city fathers than is the Peoria Public Library.

E. S. WILLCOX,
Librarian.

REPORT OF FOOD INSPECTOR.

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to present herewith the annual report of Food Inspector for the year ending December 31st, 1904:

Number of meat markets inspected	114
Number of slaughter houses inspected.....	2
Number of packing houses inspected.....	3
Number of wholesale commission houses inspected.....	14
Number of dressed chicken depots inspected.....	3
Number of wholesale meat depots inspected	5
Number of bakeries inspected.....	46

All of which I found in a clean, healthy condition.

Respectfully submitted,

B. KLUEVER,
Food Inspector.

REPORT OF CITY SEALER.

To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith to your honorable body the annual report of the City Sealer's department for the year ending December 31, 1904:

Total scales inspected.....	982
Scales condemned, principally meat scales	82
Number of dry measures inspected	1,253
Condemned.....	147
Number of wine measures inspected	581
Condemned	59

Out of the 82 condemned scales, 87 have been fixed over.

Respectfully,

CHAS. FRANKEL,
City Sealer.

CITY ATTORNEY'S REPORT.

*To the Honorable Mayor and City Council
of the City of Peoria*

GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned, City Attorney of the City of Peoria, respectfully submits the following report of the legal matters pending and determined in his department for the year ending December 31st, 1904:

Appeal Cases—Circuit Court.

(PRINCIPAL.)

- 963 City of Peoria *vs.* Maud Pierce, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1001 City of Peoria *vs.* Cliff Kellogg, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1002 City of Peoria *vs.* Ida Page, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1003 City of Peoria *vs.* Frank Milton, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1004 City of Peoria *vs.* E. W. Osborn, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1005 City of Peoria, *vs.* George Hayes, Applt., appealed by defendant; dismissed.
- 1006 City of Peoria *vs.* B. M. Osborn, Applt.; pending.
- 1028 City of Peoria *vs.* Perry Stivers, Applt.; pending.
- 1029 City of Peoria *vs.* J. H. Smith, Applt.; pending.
- 1030 City of Peoria *vs.* Mani Sylvester, Applt.; pending.

County Court.

- 4362 City of Peoria *vs.* H. C. Miller; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4375 City of Peoria *vs.* Philip Stiller; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.

- 4376 City of Peoria *vs.* Burton Osborne; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4377 City of Peoria *vs.* Robert Mars; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4384 City of Peoria *vs.* Henry Dewester; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4385 City of Peoria *vs.* W. H. Thoman; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Reuter, Justice.
- 4386 City of Peoria *vs.* Hazel Lulay; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney.
- 4387 City of Peoria *vs.* Rollo Johnson; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney.
- 4394 City of Peoria *vs.* Gus Morris; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4397 City of Peoria *vs.* Charles Allen; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4398 City of Peoria *vs.* Anna Snyder; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Reuter.
- 4399 City of Peoria *vs.* Lewis and Guy Willett; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney.
- 4403 City of Peoria *vs.* Jackson Farrell; trial; dismissed by Court.
- 4405 City of Peoria *vs.* Jim Mackey; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4429 City of Peoria *vs.* Henry Hayes; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4430 City of Peoria *vs.* George Hayes; jury trial. Not guilty.
- 4431 City of Peoria *vs.* George Connell; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4432 City of Peoria *vs.* Henry Pierce; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Reuter.
- 4433 City of Peoria *vs.* Frank Heinen; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Reuter.
- 4434 City of Peoria *vs.* Martin Powell and Frank Murphy; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Fox.
- 4447 City of Peoria *vs.* May Stokes; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Reuter.
- 4458 City of Peoria *vs.* Charles Berg. Trial. Fine \$15 and costs.

- 4472 City of Peoria vs. William Baden; dismissed by order of Assistant City Attorney, with procedendo to Moore.
City vs. Ed. McGraw; pending.
- 4175 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the opening and extending of Saratoga Street; legal objections overruled; trial had before jury as to compensation, damages and benefits; assessment roll confirmed; matter of payment by the city for land taken is still pending.
- 4220 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of Glen Oak Avenue, from Wisconsin Avenue to Spring Street; ordinance passed February 24, 1903; petition filed March 3, 1903; order appointing C. A. Weiberg to make assessment March 3, 1903; no assessment made; Sept. 12, 1903, order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment; assessment roll filed; order of default and confirmation entered.
- 4261 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of the Alley in Block Thirty-seven (37) Hale's Addition to the City of Peoria; ordinance passed August 4, 1903; petition filed August 18, 1903; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment August 18, 1903; default and confirmation entered on February 16, 1904.
- 4262 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for improvement of New York Avenue from East Armstrong to Nebraska Street; ordinance passed August 11, 1903; petition filed September 1, 1903; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment September 1, 1903; assessment roll filed; rule on all parties to file objections by February 2, 1904; leave to amend assessment roll February 5, 1904; rule to file objections to amended assessment roll by February 6, 1904; default and decree of confirmation entered February 6, 1904; contract let and improvement completed. Order of rebate 3% entered Jan. 7, 1905.
- 4263 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of South Washington Street from Chestnut Street to Locust Street. Order of default and confirmation entered January 9, 1904. Contract let and improvement completed. Order of rebate of 23%, entered October 23, 1904.
- 4264 In the matter of the petition of City of Peoria for the improvement of the alley in block 43 Monson & Sanford's addition; petition filed Sept. 17, 1903; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment; assessment roll filed; default and decree of confirmation entered Jan. 30, 1904; contract let and improvement completed; order of rebate of 10% entered Sept. 26, 1904.

- 4280 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the widening of Chambers Avenue from Flora Avenue to North Street; ordinance passed Jan. 12, 1904; petition filed Jan. 14, 1904; order entered Jan. 14, 1904, appointing Geo. J. Jochem, Joseph Wilhelm and Henry C. Fuller, commissioners; assessment roll filed Feb. 25, 1904; order on all parties to file objections by May 17, 1904; legal objections waived and questions pertaining to compensation and damages submitted to court without a jury; finding by the court; motion by petitioner to dismiss now pending.
- 4282 In the matter of the petition of City of Peoria for the improvement of California Avenue on both sides thereof from Pennsylvania Avenue to Illinois Avenue, with cement sidewalk; petition filed and order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment Nov. 6, 1908; assessment roll filed Nov. 24, 1908; rule on all parties to file objections by Jan. 2, 1904; legal objections to estimate of engineer sustained; appealed by City February term, 1904, to Illinois Supreme Court; judgment of County Court sustained.
- 4284 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of Brotherson Street from East Saratoga Street to the public alley in Block 15, Berrien's Addition, with cement walk; petition filed and order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment roll Nov. 29, 1903; assessment roll filed Jan. 18, 1904; default and confirmation Feb. 10, 1904; contract let and improvement made.
- 4301 In the matter of the improvement of Prairie Street from Fisher Street to State Street in the City of Peoria with brick pavement; ordinance passed November 24, 1903; petition filed January 5, 1904; order appointing Fuller to make assessment; order of default and confirmation March 7, 1904; contract let and improvement made. Order of rebate of 5% entered January 17, 1905.
- 4304 In the matter of the petition of City of Peoria for the improvement of Reed Avenue from Spencer to Prairie Street, brick pavement; ordinance passed January 19, 1904; petition filed January 21, 1904; order of default and confirmation April 7, 1904; contract let and improvement made; order of rebate of 4% December 21, 1904.
- 4306 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for improvement of Smith Street from Steubenville Street to Reed Avenue with brick pavement. Ordinance passed January 26, 1904; petition filed January 30, 1904; dismissed May 7, 1904, for insufficient engineer's estimate.
- 4320 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of East Armstrong Avenue from Knoxville Avenue to Glen Oak Avenue. Ordinance passed September 15, 1908; petition filed March 10, 1904; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assess-

ment same day; rule on all parties to file objections by May 4, 1904. Order of default and confirmation. Contract let and improvement completed. Order of rebate of 7%.

- 4321 In the matter of the petition of City of Peoria for opening and extending alley from Globe Street to Monson Street, in Block 3, Pulsifer's 1st Addition. Ordinance passed March 8, 1904; petition filed March 10, 1904. Now pending in County Court and under advisement on legal objections.
- 4324 In the matter of the petition of City of Peoria for the improvement of Oak Street from Depot Street to South Adams Street, with brick pavement; ordinance passed March 22, 1904; petition filed March 26, 1904. Order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment; assessment roll filed March 30, 1904; rule on all parties to file objections April 19, 1904; dismissed for insufficient estimate May 7, 1904.
- 4325 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of Oak Street from Adams Street to Reed Avenue; ordinance passed March 22, 1904; petition filed March 25, 1904; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment March 26, 1904; order of default and confirmation April 19, 1904; contract let and improvement made.
- 4326 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of various streets in the City of Peoria by the construction of North Peoria Sewer, East Section; ordinance passed March 29, 1904; petition filed in County Court April 2, 1904; legal objections overruled August 4, 1904; hearing as to benefits before the court without a jury; assessment roll filed May 6, 1904; contract let by Board of Local Improvements October 18, 1904.
- 4339 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of Nebraska Avenue from Knoxville Avenue to North Street; ordinance passed March 8, 1904; petition filed April 5, 1904; proceedings dismissed by petitioner August 5, 1904.
- 4341 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of the alley in Block 66, Monson & Sanford's Addition; ordinance passed April 12, 1904; petition filed April 14, 1904; order appointing H. C. Fuller to make assessment April 14, 1904; assessment roll filed; order of default and confirmation May 5, 1904; contract let and improvement made.
- 4342 In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of South Glendale Avenue from Main Street to Monson Street; ordinance passed April 12, 1904; petition filed April 14, 1904; proceedings dismissed by petitioner.

Avenue to Illinois Avenue, with cement sidewalk 6 feet wide; ordinance passed August 16, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of south side of Sixth Avenue from east curb line of Elliott Street to west line of No. 904 Sixth Avenue; ordinance passed August 16, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of northwesterly side of Jefferson Avenue (north) from northeasterly curb line of Abington street northeasterly to the northwesterly line of Adams Street (north) thence northeasterly along the northwesterly side of Adams Street (north) to city limits; ordinance passed May 10, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of both sides of Monroe Street from Mary Street to Cornhill Street, and the west side of Cornhill Street from Monroe Street to Perry Avenue, with cement sidewalk 6 feet wide; ordinance passed June 14, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of Van Buren Street from North Jefferson Street northwesterly to city limits, with cement sidewalk 6 feet wide; ordinance passed August 30, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of the north side of Nebraska Avenue from Knoxville Avenue to Missouri Avenue; both sides of Peoria Avenue from a line 6 feet south of the north line of Nebraska Avenue to Frye Avenue with cement sidewalk 6 feet wide; ordinance passed August 16, 1904; petition being prepared.

In the matter of the petition of the City of Peoria for the improvement of north side of McClure Avenue from Knoxville Avenue to North Street; west side of Bigelow Street from McClure to Virginia Avenue; north side of Virginia Avenue from Bigelow Street to Knoxville Avenue, with cement sidewalk 6 feet wide; ordinance passed August 16, 1904; petition being prepared.

Branch Circuit Court.—Common Law.

- 4080 Daniel Allmon vs. City of Peoria; suit for \$3,000 damages for personal injuries by broken gas main in Knoxville Avenue; third trial before a jury; verdict for \$275 against the City; motion for new trial on file and undisposed of; settlement made by plaintiff with City through City Council as per files of City Clerk; settlement to be taken care of in 1905 appropriation.

- 4171 Honora Allmon *vs.* City of Peoria *et al.*; suit for \$2,000 damages for personal injuries occasioned by broken gas mains in Knoxville Avenue; on plaintiff's motion at November term stricken with leave to reinstate; involved in settlement of case No. 4030, above mentioned.
- 4172 Mary McDonough *vs.* City of Peoria; same as No. 4171.
- 4373 Joseph Allmon *vs.* City of Peoria; same as No. 4171.
- 4174 Catherine Allmon *vs.* City of Peoria; same as No. 4171.
- 4175 Elizabeth Allmon *vs.* City of Peoria; same as No. 4171.
- 4176 Eveline Allmon *vs.* City of Peoria; same as No. 4171.
- 4452 John H. Bristol *vs.* City of Peoria; suit for \$3,000 damages to real estate by change of grade in Saratoga Street, corner of Seventh Avenue; pleadings settled; pending.
- 4566 Jeanette Woodruff *vs.* City of Peoria; suit for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained by reason of defective pavement in North Adams Street at intersection of St. Giles Street; trial before jury, resulting in verdict against the City for \$57.00; settlement made by payment of \$57.00; judgment satisfied of record.
- 217 Ross E. Lumley *vs.* City of Peoria; action in case for \$3,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained on Sanford Street; pleadings settled.
- 226 Frank Coy *vs.* City of Peoria; action in case for \$10,000 for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained on South Adams Street.
- 171 Samuel H. Miskimen *vs.* City of Peoria; action in case for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained by falling down cellar-way on South Adams Street.
- 118 Isabelle F. Newton, *et al.*, *vs.* City of Peoria; action in case \$5,000 alleged damages for removal of lateral support by excavating Saratoga Street between Moss and Seventh Avenue; pleadings unsettled; pending on demurrer.
- 229 City of Peoria *vs.* Levi B. Doud, *et al.*, suit brought to January term 1905, to recover \$10,000 costs and expenses by the City of Peoria in abating and destroying public nuisance June 4 to June 18, 1904, at Corning distillery; destroying several thousand carcases of partially burned cattle; declaration filed and service on all parties except Levi B. Doud.

In Chancery.

- 2714 Central National Bank *vs.* City of Peoria; for injunction and relief to restrain the City from interfering with occupancy and possession of a triangular piece of land in North Water Street at the intersection of Fayette Street, claimed by the City as a part of the Public Levee; pending before Master, awaiting Master's report.
- 2729 Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Co. *vs.* City of Peoria; for injunction and relief to restrain City of Peoria from interfering with occupancy and possession of certain land in South Water Street between Fulton and Liberty Street, claimed by the City to be a part of the Public Levee; pending on pleadings and waiting decision of the Master in the case of Central National Bank *vs.* City of Peoria, *supra*. The decision of that case will decide this case. The questions involved are identical, except that in this case the railway company has recognized the title of the city to this land in and by what is commonly known as the Rock Island Levee lease, from the City of Peoria.
- 2737 John McGinnis *vs.* City of Peoria; for injunction and relief to restrain the City of Peoria from expending money on roads outside of the City of Peoria without the supervision and direction of the municipal authorities; order of reference; pending before Master; testimony not yet taken.
- 194 Jacob Muller *et al.*, *vs.* City of Peoria; for injunction and relief; suit filed September 10, 1904; to restrain City of Peoria from increasing its municipal indebtedness in and about the erection of the proposed new bridge to take the place of the old Lower Free Bridge and to span the Illinois River at the foot of Bridge Street. December 30, 1904, motion filed by City for leave to file supplemental answer and amendment to original answer and to set aside order of reference to Master; pending decision by the court as to said motion.

Illinois Supreme Court.

City of Peoria *vs.* John Ohl *et al.*; appealed by City from ruling of County Court holding estimate of Engineer not sufficiently itemized in matter of cement sidewalk improvement proceedings in California Avenue between Illinois Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue. (See case 4,282 in County Court referred to above.) Order of County Court sustained.

**United States Circuit Court,
(Northern District of Illinois, at Peoria.)**

Peoria Gas Light & Coke Co. *vs.* City of Peoria; for injunction and relief to restrain the City of Peoria from enforcing the maxi-

mum gas rate ordinance referred to in following case; pleadings are settled; pending awaiting decision of the Peoria Gas & Electric Company's suit above described.

N. B.—Since the filing of this suit, the Peoria Gas Light & Coke Company has been absorbed by the Peoria Gas & Electric Company.

United States Supreme Court.

Peoria Gas & Electric Company vs. City of Peoria; for injunction and relief: "The Gas Case"; to restrain the city from enforcing its 75 cent maximum gas rate ordinance; decree by United States District Judge, J. Otis Humphrey, rendered at Peoria, February 8, 1904, holding the complainant company an illegal combination contrary to the Anti-Trust Law of Illinois, and holding said complainants to be without any equity in said bill and ordering said bill dismissed. Decree signed and filed February 9, 1904; defendants pray for and were allowed appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States; pending in said Court on complainant's appeal.

N. B.—As noted in former report by the City Attorney, this is one of the most important cases that the City of Peoria has ever been interested in. The City has won this case in the trial court and the City will win it in the United States Supreme Court, if the City's rights and interests are carefully looked after by succeeding City Attorneys; and provided, further, the City Council, until the case shall be decided, takes no unfavorable action which will, in any way prejudice or injure the rights or interests of the City therein. There is no question but that if this case is properly handled before the court, the decision of Judge Humphrey will be sustained.

The foregoing report does not include any business necessarily transacted in the Police Magistrate's and in the Justices' of the Peace Courts for violations of the various ordinances of the City of Peoria.

Your honorable body from time to time, in and by the various reports from such courts before whom such prosecutions have been had, has been fully informed of the business therein transacted, and no attempt is here made to again report with respect to such business, except, however, that for full and detailed information if desired, reference is hereby respectfully made to the aforesaid reports from said courts, which are on file among the City's records.

Reporting further, your City Attorney would respectfully call the attention of your honorable body to the vast amount of legal work which is now devolving upon the Legal Department of the city government. Interests of vast and far-reaching importance to the city have, especially during the last two years, rapidly accumulated, and as the city continues to grow in size and importance it must necessarily follow that the demands which must be made upon the Legal Department will correspondingly multiply.

It is impossible to expect the City Attorney with but one assistant, to properly take care of and conduct all litigation in which the City is or may become involved, prepare local improvement ordinances for the Board of Local Improvements and conduct local improvement litigation through the courts, advise the Council and its committees and the heads of the departments, and be in attendance at each meeting of the City Council. Since May 5th, 1903, I am pleased to report to you, that up to this time, I have been absent from but three council meetings.

The importance of this matter is such that in your unquestioned wisdom you have deemed it advisable and necessary to retain and employ for my predecessor, as well as for myself, associate counsel to assist in the conducting of the celebrated Seventy-five Cent Rate Gas Case (referred to above in this report) which was begun in the United States Circuit Court for the Northern District of Illinois at Peoria, September 18, 1900, and which is still pending and undisposed of on appeal, taken by the Peoria Gas & Electric Company, to the United States Supreme Court, and which should, within the term of my successor, be reached and disposed of.

In like manner it will continue to occur from time to time, that special or associate counsel will be needed in similar and other important cases, and it will undoubtedly, in such cases, be true as it has been in the past, that the fees and expenses of such special or associate counsel will amount to more than would be the necessary and reasonable

amount to retain and employ corporation counsel by the year.

I therefore beg to be permitted to now respectfully recommend that steps be taken immediately by your honorable body to enlarge the facilities of this department, and, to that end, that an ordinance be prepared, passed and adopted providing for the office of Corporation Counsel for the City of Peoria, in addition to and as an auxiliary to the offices of City Attorney and Assistant City Attorney (and stenographer) as are now provided for; and, to this end, that the necessary provisions be made in the 1905 Annual Appropriation Bill of the City of Peoria to provide for the employment and remuneration of legal ability of the highest order to occupy and perform the duties of the office of Corporation Counsel for the City of Peoria.

Very respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. KIRK,

City Attorney.

COLISEUM STATEMENT.

**From May 1, 1904 (to Date of Last Statement) to December 31,
1904, Inclusive.**

	Received.
1904.	
May 18.	Rent from Modern Woodmen.....\$ 25.00
17.	Rent from Kindergarten..... 18.75
16.	Rent from Shriners..... 50.00
Oct. 8.	Rent from First Baptist Church, Oct. 9.. 25.00
12.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
13.	Rent from "Hanford" meeting 25.00
14.	Rent from First Baptist Church, Oct. 16 25.00
14.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 50.00
15.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
21.	Rent from First Baptist Church, Oct. 23 25.00
21.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
22.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
25.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
27.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
29.	Rent from Skating Rink. 25.00
28.	Rent from First Baptist Church 25.00
Nov. 1.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
2.	Rent from World's Fair Indian Band concert..... 50.00
3.	Rent from Women's Catholic League.. 50.00
4.	Rent from Republican County Central Committee .. 25.00
5.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
8.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
11.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
12.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
15.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
17.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
19.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
22.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
24.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00
23.	Rent from Affiliated Association of Rail- way Organizations 50.00
25.	Rent from Kindergarten..... 50.00
26.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 37.50
Dec. 9.	Rent from Modern Woodmen..... 25.00
12.	Rent from Skating Rink..... 25.00

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Dec.	17.	Rent from Skating Rink.....	25.00
	19.	Rent from Skating Rink.....	25.00
	20.	Rent from Skating Rink.....	25.00
	24.	Rent from Skating Rink.....	25.00
	24.	Rent Central Illinois Fanciers Association, Jan. 2.....	25.00
	28.	Rent Skating Rink	25.00
	29.	Rent Skaking Rink.....	25.00
	30.	Rent Skating Rink.	25.00
	31.	Rent Skating Rink	25.00
		Rent Skating Rink	25.00
June	23.		\$1256.25
Dec.	17.	Appropriation from city.....	\$1000.00
		Deposit of T. P. & W. Bicycle Club to secure advanced engagements.....	12.50
		Total Receipts.....	\$1012.50
		Total Disbursements.....	\$2268.75
		Balance Jan. 1, 1905	\$2114.65
			\$ 154.10

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Paid Out.

May	4.	Hunter & Strehlow, hardware supplies..	8	6.00
	12.	Comegys Bros., carpenter work.....		15.85
	12.	F. McLoughlin Plumb'g Co., fixing vent		.40
	31.	A. Laveille, janitor work.....		12.00
	31.	H. B. Gibson.....		50.00
	31.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper.....		10.00
June	7.	Central Electric Co., colored lamps....		8.55
	8.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co., May light...		16.80
	18.	Harry Bates, sawdust .....		.90
	30.	H. B. Gibson, janitor for June		50.00
	30.	Jack Henwood, janitor work		6.00
	30.	A. Laveille, janitor work.....		4.50
July	1.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co., June light..		13.44
June	30.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper.....		10.00
July	8.	Peoria Water Works Co., water.....		38.50
	8.	Central Union Telephone Co., July quar.		7.50
	31.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper.....		10.00
Aug.	1.	H. B. Gibson, janitor July		50.00
	5.	John A. Bush, painting interior, contract		74.15
	6.	Peoria Gas & Elec. Co., 68 16 c. p. lights		11.88
	12.	A. E. Griesser & Co., janitor supplies...		7.15
	31.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper		10.00
Sept.	1.	H. B. Gibson, janitor August.....		50.00
	12.	J. J. Jobst, clay, labor, brick, etc.....		31.35
	16.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper		10.00

Oct.	1.	H. B. Gibson, janitor.....	50.00
	6.	Peoria Water Co., October 1st quarter..	19.25
	10.	Central Union Tel. Co., October 1st quar.	7.50
	31.	I. N. Royster, bookkeeper	10.00
Nov.	8.	Dooley Bros., coal	15.60
	8.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co., Oct. light...	27.36
	9.	H. B. Gibson, janitor October.....	50.00
	9.	James Siders, assistant janitor.....	9.25
	9.	Mr. McChesney, assistant janitor.....	1.20
	9.	John Coffey, assistant janitor.....	1.20
	9.	John Londergan, assistant janitor.....	1.20
	9.	F. McLoughlin Plumb. Co., work in toilet	1.65
	9.	A. Laveille, assistant janitor October....	42.25
	29.	G. L. Bowman, janitor work.....	.90
	29.	Eddie Ruark, janitor work.....	.90
	29.	A. Larson, janitor work.....	.90
	29.	Frank Miller, janitor work.....	.90
	29.	Morris H. Smith, janitor work.....	.70
	29.	Robert H. Pringle, janitor work.....	.90
	29.	John Coffey, Janitor Work.....	1.25
	29.	G. L. Bowman, Janitor Work.....	.60
	29.	Jim Siders, Janitor Work.....	8.20
	29.	I. N. Royster, Bookkeeper.....	10.00
Dec.	5.	F. McLoughlin Plumbing Co., work in closet.....	.80
	5.	Dooley Bros., Coal.....	34.08
	5.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co., November lights.....	59.14
	6.	E. Wetherell, Iron Door for Coal Chute	5.50
	9.	H. B. Gibson, Janitor for November....	50.00
	10.	Cutright & Russell & Houghton Bros, new floor.....	1185.50
	38.	Geo. Dockstader, Janitor Work.....	2.00
	28.	Adam Speed, Janitor Work.....	1.60
	28.	Jim Siders, Janitor Work.....	4.40
	31.	I. F. Royster, Bookkeeper.....	10.00
			\$2114.65

COLISEUM STATEMENT.**May 1, 1904, to December 31, 1904, inclusive.**

Total Receipts.....	\$2268.75
Total Disbursements.....	\$2114.65
Balance Jan. 1, 1905.....	\$ 154.10

HENRY B. MORGAN, President.**RICHARD W. KEMPshall, Treasurer.**

REPORT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

*To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen of the
City Council of the City of Peoria.*

GENTLEMEN:—We have the honor to submit herewith to you the annual report of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund, from January 1st, 1904, to February 5th, 1905.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER H. KIRK, President.

ROBERT JOOS, City Clerk.

WM. P. GAUSS, Treasurer.

W. G. OLWIN, City Comptroller, Sec'y.

THOMAS N. WORM, Chief of Fire Dept.

Board of Trustees of Firemen's Pension Fund.

To the Firemen's Pension Board.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith to you for your examination and approval my annual report of the transactions of the Firemen's General and Miscellaneous Pension Fund.

The following is a complete statement of the receipts and expenditures from January 1st, 1904, to February 5th, 1905, closing the books for the year.

Very respectfully,

WM. P. GAUSS,
City Treasurer.

Receipts of the Firemen's General Pension Fund.

1904		
Jan.	5.	Balance in Bank.....
Feb.	3.	Dues for January.....
Mar.	2.	Dues for February.....
April	6.	Dues for March.....
May	4.	Dues for April.....

June	8.	Dues for May.....	49.10
July	6.	Dues for June.....	47.65
Aug.	3.	Dues for July.....	47.35
Sept.	7.	Dues for August.....	47.30
Oct.	5.	Dues for September.....	48.25
Nov.	2.	Dues for October.....	49.95
Dec.	8.	Dues for November	49.25
			<i>1905</i>
Jan.	4.	Dues for December.....	49.25 581.95

Donations.

			<i>1904</i>
Jan.	9.	Corning & Company	25.00
	21.	Wm. Kinsey.....	8.00
	28.	Chas. D. Thomas.....	10.00
Feb.	3.	E. Kramm.....	25.00
	4.	E. J. Case.....	20.00
	10.	Hohenstein Lutheran Church.....	10.00
	18.	Wm. Kinsey.....	7.00
	23.	Thomas Powers.....	10.00
	26.	Nelson Morris	25.00
April	30.	Henry Triebel & Son.....	10.00
	30.	Bartonville Board.....	25.00
May	14.	Carl Eichenberger	2.00
June	27.	Corning & Company	100.00
July	9.	Chas. Knetzger	25.00
July	26.	H. W. Reynolds.....	10.00
Aug.	2.	August Wahlfeldt.....	25.00
	2.	Wm. Hupe.....	20.00
Oct.	21.	Schipper & Block.....	25.00
	22.	Henry Sandmeyer & Co'.....	25.00
Nov.	7.	Sidney Wood, Chillicothe.....	50.00
	22.	Schleicher & Son	25.00
	25.	Peoria Commission Co.....	5.00
	3.	Peoria Turnverein.....	11.00
Dec.	17.	M. M. Miller, East Bluff.....	10.00
	24.	Colburn, Birks & Co.....	25.00
			<i>1905</i>
Feb.	2.	Wantling Coal Drill Co.....	5.00
	4.	Geo. F. Simmons.....	10.00 573.00
			<i>1904</i>
Jan.	5.	25% insurance tax to Gen. Fund for 1903	1,527.31
	5.	25% insurance tax to Gen. Fund for 1904	1,539.06
Feb.	25.	Coupons on improvement bonds.....	2,193.00
Oct.	17.	Coupons on improvement bonds.....	2,003.00
Dec.	8.	Bonds expired, 500 and 200, coupons 244	944.00
May	4.	Receipts of ball held April 25.....	1,680.74

June 30. Interest Merchants National Bank	30.25
Dec. 31. Interest Merchants National Bank	8.03
July 11. Lexington Picture Shows	65.00
Jan. 5. 1% liquor license account for 1903	1,140.00
	<u>11,130.39</u>
Total	\$ 16,721.80

Receipts of the Firemen's Miscellaneous Pension Fund.

1904			
Jan. 13. Balance in Bank		\$ 626.62	
Aug. 30. Beardstown Picture Show		177.00	
30. South Adams Street Fair		24.50	
31. South Adams Street Fair		208.70	
Sept. 1. South Adams Street Fair		138.60	
2. South Adams Street Fair		233.70	
3. South Adams Street Fair		205.10	
6. South Adams Street Fair		195.95	
6. South Adams Street Fair		5.00	
15. Picture Shows at Morton		156.05	
20. First day Carnival receipts		29.25	
21. Second day Carnival receipts		116.45	
22. Third day Carnival receipts		75.90	
23. Fourth day Carnival receipts		114.20	
24. Fifth day Carnival receipts		74.95	
26. Sixth day Carnival receipts		65.15	
Oct. 17. Canton, from 12th to 15th		403.65	2,224.15
Total			\$2,850.77

Expenditures of the Firemen's General Pension Fund.

1903.		No.	
Dec. 31. James E. Smith	249	\$	45.00
1904.			
Feb. 1. Ellen M. Manning	258		12.00
1. Eva Moeller	256		30.00
1. H. W. Palmer	257		32.50
1. James E. Smith	258		45.00
1. Chas. E. Manning	259		32.50
Mar. 2. H. W. Palmer	262		32.50
2. Chas. E. Manning	260		32.50
2. James E. Smith	261		45.00
2. Eva Moeller	263		30.00
2. Ellen M. Manning	264		12.00
April 1. Chas. E. Manning	270		32.50
1. Ellen M. Manning	265		12.00
1. Eva Moeller	267		30.00
1. H. W. Palmer	268		32.50

April	1.	James E. Smith	269	45.00
May	2.	Chas. E. Manning.....	271	32.50
	2.	H. W. Palmer.....	272	32.50
	2.	James E. Smith	273	45.00
	2.	Ellen M. Manning	274	12.00
	3.	Eva Moeller	275	30.00
June	4.	Eva Moeller	276	30.00
	4.	Ellen M. Manning	277	12.00
	4.	James E. Smith	278	45.00
	4.	H. W. Palmer.....	279	32.50
	4.	Chas. E. Manning.....	280	32.50
	4.	A. W. Miller.....	281	35.00
July	1.	A. W. Miller.....	284	35.00
	1.	H. W. Palmer.....	285	32.50
	1.	Chas. E. Manning.....	286	32.50
	1.	James E. Smith	287	45.00
	1.	Ellen M. Manning	288	12.00
	1.	Eva Moeller	289	30.00
Aug.	1.	Eva Moeller	292	30.00
	1.	Ellen M. Manning	293	12.00
	1.	James E. Smith	294	45.00
	1.	Chas. E. Manning	295	32.50
	1.	A. W. Miller.....	296	35.00
	1.	S. Jennie Palmer.....	297	14.50
	1.	S. Jennie Palmer.....	298	18.00
Sept.	1.	Eva Moeller	305	30.00
	1.	Ellen M. Manning	306	12.00
	1.	James E. Smith	307	45.00
	1.	Chas. E. Manning	308	32.50
	1.	A. W. Miller.....	310	35.00
	1.	S. Jennie Palmer.....	311	32.50
Oct.	1.	S. Jennie Palmer.....	327	32.50
	1.	A. W. Miller.....	328	35.00
	1.	Chas. E. Manning	329	32.50
	1.	James E. Smith	330	45.00
	1.	Ellen M. Manning	331	12.00
	1.	Eva Moeller	332	30.00
Nov.	1.	Ellen M. Manning	334	12.00
	1.	Eva Moeller	335	30.00
	1.	James E. Smith	336	45.00
	1.	Chas. E. Manning	337	32.50
	1.	A. W. Miller.....	338	5.88
	1.	Nellie F. Miller	339	29.17
	1.	S. Jennie Palmer	340	32.50
Dec.	1.	S. Jennie Palmer	345	32.50

Dec.	1.	Chas. E. Manning	346	32.50
	1.	Nellie F. Miller	347	35.00
	1.	James E. Smith	348	45.00
	1.	Eva Moeller	349	30.00
	1.	Ellen M. Manning.....	350	12.00
1905.				
Jan.	3.	C. E. Manning	355	32.50
	3.	Philip C. Distler	356	32.50
	3.	Ellen M. Manning	357	12.00
	3.	Eva Moeller	358	30.00
	3.	James E. Smith	359	45.00
	3.	Nellie F. Miller	360	35.00
	3.	S. Jennie Palmer	361	32.50
Feb.	1.	Philip C. Distler	364	32.50
	1.	S. Jennie Palmer	365	32.50
	1.	Chas. E. Manning	370	32.50
	1.	Nellie F. Miller	371	35.00
				\$ 2,314.00
1904.			No.	
June	24.	M. E. Case, 10-750 improvement bonds	283	7,500.00
Aug.	31.	A. D. Thompson, 4-150 improvement bonds.....	303	600.00
	31.	Wells-Fargo Express.....	352	.80
				\$ 8,100.80
				\$ 10,414.80

Expenditures of the Firemen's Miscellaneous Pension Fund.

1904.			No.	
Jan.	19.	Klein Optical Co.....	\$ 1.60	
	28.	Crawley Electric Co., supplies...	2.50	
Mar.	3.	Laundry .....	.50	
July	8.	Klein Optical Co.....	3.25	
	10.	Hansel & Wittick, insurance E. machine.....	25.00	
June	20.	Smith & Schaefer, printing.....	3.50	
Aug.	5.	Peoria Gas & Electric Co., current for machine.....	2.00	
Aug.	12.	John Spellman.....	7.00	
	19.	Thomas Worm, Beardstown	301	40.00
	22.	Geo. W. Betzer, Am. biograph...	302	50.00
	31.	H. Jacobs, use of building picture	304	15.00
	31.	Peoria Livery Co.....	309	2.00
	31.	Peoria Livery Co.....	312	4.00
Sept.	8.	Hunter & Strehlow, supplies, pictures.....	313	1.65
	8.	Crawley Electric Co., supplies ...	314	2.50

		No.	
Sept.	9. John Schneider & Co., repairs ...	315	5.50
	9. H. F. Sehnert, treasurer South Adams Street Fair.....	316	100.00
	17. H. H. Whitten, M. D.....	316	2.00
	17. Thede Bros., team to Morton	318	10.00
	17. Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	319	.50
	17. H. C. Deal, sign at Morton.....	320	2.00
	20. Change for picture show at Morton	321	40.00
	20. Change for Corn Carnival.....	322	30.00
	20. Klein Optical Co.....	323	.58
	22. McQuellon & Schori	324	2.90
	22. Wm. Debolt, new front to pictures	325	100.00
	26. Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	326	23.06
Oct.	3. Peoria Tent & Awning Co.....	328	1.30
Nov.	18. Thede Bros., hauling	341	.61
	19. Bergner Dry Goods Co., supplies	342	.45
	19. Peoria Gas & E. Co., electricity..	343	37.15
	19. Peoria Tent & Awning Co., sup- plies	344	2.50
Dec.	24. John Spellman, services	353	15.00
1905.			
Jan.	5. New moving pictures, Fire Dept.	362	830.40
	7. Paul C Edmunds, sick to Jan. 3..	363	20.00
1904.			
Dec.	1. F. C. Fischer, repairs on machine..	351	1.50
			\$ 1,385.35

Improvement Bonds Deposited.

4 Improvement Bonds deposited at	\$ 150.00	\$ 600.00
14 Improvement Bonds deposited at	200.00	2,800.00
4 Improvement Bonds deposited at	300.00	1,200.00
18 Improvement Bonds deposited at	500.00	9,000.00
3 Improvement Bonds deposited at	600.00	1,800.00
10 Improvement Bonds deposited at	750.00	7,500.00
4 Improvement Bonds deposited at	1,000.00	4,000.00

57 Bonds deposited in Merchants National Bank \$26,900.00

Summary.

General Fund on hand January 5, 1904.....	\$ 4,486.46
General Fund, dues	581.95
General Fund donations	573.00
General Fund, insurance tax and coupons, liquor license, ball receipts, bank interest.....	<u>11,180.39</u>
	\$ 16,721.80
General Fund, expenditures.....	10,414.80
General Fund, balance in bank.....	\$ 6,307.00

Miscellaneous Fund	\$ 2,850.77
Miscellaneous Fund, expenditures..	1,885.35
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Total balance in bank, both funds.....	\$ 7,772.42
Total number of Bonds, 57, deposited in Merchants' National Bank.....	\$ 26,900.00
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	\$ 34,672.42

**Annual Invoice of Personal Property Belonging
to the Firemen's Pension Fund.**

1 tent, complete	\$ 150.00
Seats to seat 300.....	50.00
1 show front.....	115.00
1 inside canopy.....	30.00
2 megaphones	2.00
1 machine, complete	175.00
1 machine (used three years).....	25.00
1 calcium light outfit.....	19.50
190 feet cable.....	10.00
New pictures, negative and positive	665.00
Old pictures, 3,500 feet.....	300.00
5,000 tickets	6.00
Slide pictures.....	35.00
1 curtain for front in tent	3.50
2 boxes for Rheostat machine	10.00
1 slide box	1.00
1 frame for show front	10.00
1 tin ticket box.....	2.00
2 tin film boxes.....	2.00
50 electric globes and sockets	17.50
4 horns for platform and planks.....	6.00
1 Rheostat, made to order	35.00
2 cots and mattresses	3.00
Miscellaneous.....	15.00
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	\$ 1,688.50
Total assets of Firemen's Pension Fund.....	\$ 36,260.92

Memorandum.

Among the items of Miscellaneous Expenses will be found an item of \$830.40. This was paid for new moving pictures for the Fire Department, rendered necessary by the wearing out of the old moving pictures taken a number of years ago and also includes the expense of a thoroughly new and up-to-date moving picture projecting machine.

**REPORT OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS
FOR THE YEAR 1904.**

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith submit my report as Commissioner of Public Works for the year, from December 1st, 1903, to November 30th, 1904, both inclusive.

It has been my earnest desire to conduct the affairs of the Department in the most economical manner, and in such a way as to bring about the best results in the various branches of the Department.

The following is a statement of the cash receipts and disbursements of the office for the fiscal year ending November 30th, 1904.

RECEIPTS.

Permit fees	\$ 553.85
Permit fees, Peoria Water Works Co.....	422.85
Permit fees, Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	556.05
From Crescent Stone Co., for old stone from South Washington Street.....	1,000.00
Cost of repairing paved streets	1,970.75
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	\$ 4,503.50

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid to foreman and helpers, street repairing crew..	\$ 489.50
Paid to W. G. Olwin, Comptroller, permit fees	558.25
Paid to W. G. Olwin, Comptroller, permit fees, Peoria Water Works Co.....	422.85
Paid to W. G. Olwin, Comptroller, permit fees, Peoria Gas & Electric Co.....	556.05
Paid to W. G. Olwin, Comptroller, balance in hands of Commissioner.....	1,278.60
Paid to W. G. Olwin, Comptroller, from stone sold South Washington Street.....	1,000.00
Paid to sundry persons, rebates.	198.25
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	\$ 4,503.50

APPROPRIATIONS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS	Appropriated.	Expended.
Miscellaneous street work.....	\$12,000.00	\$12,470.80
Repairing paved streets	2,500.00	2,550.96
Cleaning streets.....	17,000.00	15,892.50
Bridges and culverts	200.00	101.98
Gutters and drains	1,500.00	1,008.35
Crossings.....	1,500.00	2,373.94
Cleaning crossings.....	500.00	157.40
Sidewalks	2,000.00	946.65
Curbing	5,000.00	5,879.25
Opening streets.....	500.00	300.00
Lower free bridge.....	7,200.00	8,807.78
Upper free bridge.....	2,800.00	2,800.00
Boundary roads.....	4,000.00	4,000.00
Repairing and cleaning sewers	5,000.00	7,765.49
Commissioner of Public Works	2,900.00	2,900.00
Superintendent of Special Assessments	1,000.00	1,000.00
Superintendent of Sewers	1,200.00	1,200.00
Superintendent of Streets.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
Engineer, assistants, etc.....	8,970.00	9,832.41
Miscellaneous expenses, tools, etc.....	850.00	1,207.75
Farm Creek bridge	2,500.00	2,964.13
City scales	300.00	327.90
Harbor Master's salary.....	100.00	100.00
Public wells and fountains.....	500.00	1,243.22
Public squares.....	2,000.00	2,343.46
North Peoria hall	100.00	146.90
South Peoria hall	100.00	100.18
Residence, House of Correction.....	50.00	7.25
Street signs.....	200.00	69.75
Pier protection upper free bridge	2,600.00	772.85
Asphalt repair plant.....	1,800.00	.....
Improvement public levee	5,000.00	7.00
Total.....	93,070.00	\$90,478.83
Superintendent of building	1,500.00	
Printing building laws	150.00	
Total.....	1,650.00	

Extraordinary Occurrences During the Year Requiring the
Especial Attention of this Department.

Lower Free Bridge.

On April 4th, 1904, at about 11 o'clock P. M., two spans of the easterly end of the wagon bridge spanning the Illinois River at the foot of Bridge Street, collapsed and fell

into the river, owing to the giving way of the remaining portion of a pier damaged recently prior by the high stage of the water, thus causing a suspension of traffic for a considerable length of time; during which time the City Council investigated the propriety of establishing and operating a ferry until proper repairs could be made to the bridge. Immediately upon abandoning the ferry proposition, it was decided to drive piling, extending the trestle work at the easterly approach to the remaining span immediately east of the draw span. After experiencing much difficulty in procuring piling of the dimensions required, and on account of the inability of the railroads (for the want of bridges along their roadway) to deliver the same, the work of constructing such trestle work was entered upon and pushed to completion. The construction being similar to the old trestle on the extreme easterly end of the spans so collapsed. The length of the spans taken out by the flood being one hundred forty-six (146) feet and one hundred forty-five (145) feet and three (3) inches each; also eight (8) feet of the remaining span was broken as well as forty-one (41) feet of trestle, making a total of new construction of three hundred forty (340) feet at a cost of \$3,868.19. Traffic being resumed May 14th, 1904.

The remaining portion of the old bridge was repaired, applying several new truss timbers; also re-inforcing or splicing nearly all those allowed to remain, and applying new floor joists and new deck or floor covering, costing \$1,061.00.

JOHN ENFIELD, Supt.

*No traffic; bridge broke down.

December	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Total	
	245	7,313	10,507	530	257	1,005	225	547	2,171	470	1,159	51	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	1,159	5,025	88,598	114,027

Upper Free Bridge.

In compliance with the order from the War Department, piling were driven at the bridge known as the Upper Free Bridge, consisting of clumps for pier protection; said clumps being drawn together at the heads and hooped with wire cable, at a cost of \$918.75.

Farm Creek Bridge.

Following is the character of work done at the bridge across Farm Creek.

Paving approaches and constructing protection wings costing \$206.60.

Krause Avenue Sewer.

A sewer was constructed on Krause Avenue from Adams Street to Livingston Street by order of the City Council by special appropriation. The improvement consisted of the following:

272 feet 24-inch vitrified pipe.....	\$213.00
54 feet 10-inch vitrified pipe.....	10.80
Labor.....	156.05
Bricklayers and helpers	55.75
Castings, 1 Columbus catch basin.....	12.00
Castings, 2 manholes	17.00
Brick	11.00

	\$475.60

Cattle Burning at Corning Distillery.

On account of an explosion and the collapse of a warehouse at the Corning distillery on June 4th, 1904, fire was communicated at the cattle sheds, burning the buildings to the ground, and killing about three thousand (3,000) head of cattle, causing great apprehension for the health of the citizens of the City of Peoria. It was decided by the Mayor and Aldermen that, owing to the immediate proximity of said barns to the city, effort must be made, without delay, to remove and dispose of the carcasses, and this department was directed to proceed with the work, which was accordingly carried into execution, commencing on the morning

of June 6th. The process of burying was at first employed and proved to be a failure, whereupon the process of burning was resorted to, with perfect success, by using carbolic oil for purification and preserving, as well as for combustion, jointly with coal oil, and several hundred loads of old wood. By this process the carcasses were totally consumed and the premises cleared for new buildings.

The following is an itemized statement of the cost of disposing of the cattle at the Corning distillery, which statement includes all the cost.

Expended in Labor.....	\$1966.50
A. A. Bushel & Son, 49 barrels coal tar at \$4.75....	\$ 232.75
36980 gallons carbolic oil at 7½c, 2773.50 making a total of.....	3006.25
Standard Oil Co.—1840 gallons oil at 8½c.....	165.60
Royal Oil Co.—9840 gallons Oil at 8½c.....	836.41
F. Meyer & Bro. Co., 108 feet, 1¼ inch manila rope.....	15.12
F. Meyer & Bro. Co.—1-12 inch single tackle block.....	1.80
John Newsam—buckets and material.....	35.90
Coal Drill Works—1 pail and Dipper.....	.40
Dr. W. J. Uppendahl, professional services rendered five men on account of being overcome by gas and one dislocated shoulder.....	30.00
Chas. Johnson, two dozen Manure Forks.....	16.80
Kingman Plow Co., 450 gallons crude distillate at 6½.....	29.25
Peoria Fuel Co., hauling two loads of Lime.....	4.00
Total.....	\$6108.08

Repairing Paved Streets.

All asphalt streets have been repaired, except such streets as were found, upon careful inspection, to be disintegrated to such an extent that repairs were impracticable. The asphalt streets in this city have been sadly in need of repairs long before the time that repairs were actually made, because of the fact that the city has no way of making repairs, for the want of apparatus or plant for repairing asphalt streets.

I would recommend that an ample appropriation be made for apparatus, plant and regular crew, so that asphalt streets can be repaired, from time to time, when necessary, instead of allowing holes, cuts, cracks and other imperfections unrepaired for months, to the detriment of the pavement and the inconvenience of the public.

Cleaning Paved Streets.

This Department made a special effort to keep the paved streets in the best possible condition, endeavoring to protect the health and comfort of our citizens.

I would recommend that a liberal appropriation be made for the purpose of purchasing sprinklers and sweepers, which would enable the Department to clean the streets more rapidly and better, as well as cleaning several times the amount of territory now cleaned by hand, therefore giving the city the benefit of cleaner streets, and greater in extent. Flushing or washing the streets cannot be employed because of the fact that a large majority of the improved streets are paved with brick, and nearly, without exception, the interstices are filled with sand, which, by the use of water, is washed out, and the upper or wearing surface is without protection, causing the brick to shell, scalp and break readily, thus causing the streets to become rough and the pavement to wear out much sooner than they otherwise would.

Curbing Set During the Year 1904.

The following is a statement of the curbing set on various streets and avenues within the city limits during the past year. The total amount of curb set was 22,451.3 lineal feet, of which 12,005.4 lineal feet was new curb and 10,445.9 lineal feet was old curb taken from streets which were improved and on which new curb was substituted.

Curbing Set During the Year 1904—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Location	Side	Length in feet
Alfred	Antoinette to South.....	West.....	111.7
Ann	Louisa to Sumner	South	137.3
Ann	Olive, east	North	73.4
Antoinette	Alfred, west.....	South	119.6
Atlantic	Kansas, south.....	West	45.2
Bigelow	Richmond to Nebraska.....	East	443.1
Blaine	Adams to Oakland	Southwest	155.3
Blaine	Butler, south to alley	West	150.5
Blaine	Starr to Garden	West	628.0
Bridge	Washington to Commercial.....	Northeast	170.0
Bridge	Washington to Commercial.....	Southwest	178.0
Bryan	Madison to Monroe	Northeast	375.0
Bryan	Madison to Monroe	Southwest	381.0
Butler	Blaine, west.....	South	54.0
Butler	Pope to Webster	South	310.0
California	Illinois to Pennsylvania	East	162.0
California	Illinois to Pennsylvania	West	311.8
Caroline	Adams to Washington	Northeast	253.3
Caroline	Adams to Washington	Southwest	192.0
Center	Olive to Chicago	North	297.0
Easton	Adams to Hayes	East	440.7
Easton	Adams to Hayes	West	640.6
Elliott	Fourth to Seventh	East	884.7
Elliott	Fourth to Seventh	West	886.8
First	Webster, west.....	North	224.9
Franklin	Second, south	West	125.0
Gallatin	Cedar to Lincoln	North	475.0
Garden	Hecox to Western	South	127.4
Goodwin	Seventh to Hillyer	East	289.0
Goodwin	Seventh to Hillyer	West	144.7
Hecox	Adams to Washington	Southwest	361.0
Hecox	Garden to Starr	Southwest	115.0
Hickory	Antoinette to Garden	East	616.8
Hillyer	Goodwin to Shipman	South	615.6
Irving	Washington to Water	East	307.5
Isaac	Fowler, west	North	250.2
Isaac	Fowler, west	South	152.1
Jackson	Madison to Jefferson	Northeast	363.2
Jackson	Madison to Jefferson	Southwest	369.4
Jackson	Madison to Monroe	Northeast	348.8
Jackson	Madison to Monroe	Southwest	173.4
Jefferson	Abington to Van Buren	Northwest	763.5
Jefferson	Van Buren to Camblin	Northwest	351.6
Kansas	Allantic, west	South	65.0
Kettelle	Warren to Blaine	South	421.0
Lincoln Place	Lincoln, south	West	121.0
Lincoln	Shelley, east	North	69.0
Linn	Arcadia to McClure	West	149.0
Linn	Arcadia to Republic	West	317.0
Linn	Richmond to Nebraska	East	494.7
Linn	Richmond, south.....	West	195.0
Merriman	Smith, north	East	12.0

Curbing Set During the Year 1904—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Location	Side	Length in feet
Merriman	Smith to Johnson.....	East	158.0
Missouri	Illinois to Pennsylvania.....	West	316.0
Nebraska	Dechman to Peoria.....	North	425.1
Nebraska	Delaware to Maryland.....	South	207.3
Nebraska	Central to Maryland.....	South	127.7
Oak.....	Washington to Depot.....	Southwest	152.5
Olive	Adams to Center.....	East	227.1
Olive	George to Ann.....	East	322.0
Persimmon	Reed to Warner.....	N. E.....	148.6
Pope	Millman to Howett.....	West	122.5
Russell	Garfield to Frink.....	South	299.1
Sanger	Adams, south.....	S. W.....	82.0
Second	Webster, west	South.....	40.0
Shelley	Howett to Millman.....	East.....	312.2
Shelley	Howett to Lincoln.....	East.....	235.2
Sixth	Elliott, East.....	South.....	648.7
Spencer	Smith, North	East.....	36.0
Stuebenville	McBean to Kettelle	East.....	189.0
St. Giles	Adams to Jefferson.....	N. E.....	60.0
Third	Charlton to Webster.....	South.....	342.0
Warren	Howett to Lincoln.....	West.....	281.5
Warren	Millman to Butler.....	West.....	155.5
Warren	Millman to Howett.....	West	290.0
Washington	Irving to Green.....	South	142.5
Webster	First to Second.....	West	331.1
Western	Fredonia, south.....	East	176.1
Widenham	Allen to Warren.....	North	600.0
Widenham	Allen to Steubenville.....	North	644.8
Total length in feet			22451.3
Total length in miles			4.25

Parks, Squares and Boulevards.

Our small parks and squares have received very careful attention by the several custodians, and were kept in excellent condition. The boulevards as well were given special attention by the attendants; the flower beds and lawns presenting a beautiful appearance.

Conclusion.

In conclusion, I desire to express my thanks to His Honor, the Mayor, and Members of the City Council, the City Engineer, Superintendent of Streets, Superintendent of Sewers, Sidewalk Inspector, and all other employes for the hearty co-operation I have received at their hands.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. SCHUCH,

Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

PEORIA, ILL., January 2, 1904.

R. W. Schuch, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to submit herewith the annual report of work done by this department for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1904.

Paved Streets.

During the past year there were cleaned 865½ miles of brick paved streets; 2,749½ miles of asphalt streets and 3 miles of novaculite streets; a total of 3,618 miles.

All street cleaning was done by hand. All paved streets in the business center of the city were cleaned daily; those in the residence portion weekly.

Paved Streets Cleaned.

	Miles of Brick	Miles of Asphalt
January.....	47	12
February.....	43	17
March.....	79½	301
April.....	82¼	292½
May.....	68	281
June.....	72½	284
July.....	69	272½
August.....	73	283
September.....	89¼	269
October.....	69	273½
November.....	83	285
December.....	90	179
Total.....	865½	2,749½

Alleys.

During the year 1904, there were 463 blocks of brick paved alleys cleaned by hand brooms and scrapers and 58

blocks of cobble-stone paved alleys, removing therefrom 4,689 square yards of garbage and dirt.

48 blocks of unpaved alleys have been graded so that all water could run uninterruptedly.

Paved Alleys Cleaned by Hand.

	Blocks of Brick	Blocks of Cobble-stone
January	31	3
February	28	5
March	47	6
April	43	4
May	46	7
June	32	2
July	37	3
August	42	6
September	38	2
October	46	4
November	44	7
December	29	9
Total	463	58

Alleys Graded.

From	Between	Blocks
Pope	Lincoln and Howett	1
Morton	Jefferson and Madison	1
Shelley	Howett and Lincoln	1
Hall	Behrends and Nebraska	1
Jackson	Jefferson and Madison	1
Ravine	Dechman and Peoria	1
Shipman	Sixth and Seventh	1
White	East Armstrong and Pennsylvania	1
Bluff	Monson and Main	1
McReynolds	Third and Fourth	1
Hamilton	Glen Oak and Crescent	1
Goodwin	Third and Fourth	1
Spencer	Sixth and Fifth	1
Chicago	Adams and Center	1
Chicago	Adams and Henry	1
Olive	Henry and Adams	1
Western	Garden and Malone	1
Garden	Hecox and Western	1
Starr	Hecox and Western	1

From	Between	Blocks
Missouri	Illinois and Pennsylvania	1
Spring	Adams and Jefferson.....	1
Evans.....	Adams and Jefferson.....	1
Dechman	Pennsylvania and Illinois	1
Knoxville	Pennsylvania and Illinois	1
New York.....	Armstrong and Pennsylvania.....	1
California	Illinois and Pennsylvania	1
California	Illinois and Ravine	1
Bryan	Madison and Monroe	1
Hancock	Madison and Monroe	1
Morton	Madison and Monroe.....	1
Voris	Monroe and Perry	1
Spring	Monroe and Madison	1
Laveille.....	Perry and Glendale.....	1
Spring	Glendale and Glen Oak.....	1
Warren	Millman and Butler.....	1
Blaine	Millman and Butler	1
Chandler	Lincoln and Ann	1
Hayes.....	Livingston and Lydia.....	1
Warren	Howett and Millman.....	1
Charlotte.....	Antoinette and Ann	1
Charlotte.....	Ann and Lincoln	1
Shelley.....	Lincoln and Howett	1
Matthew	Lincoln and Ann.....	1
Second.....	Webster and Charlotte.....	1
Johnson	Saratoga and Elliott.....	1
Pope.....	Millman and Howett.....	1
Nebraska	Knoxville and Linn.....	1
Nebraska	Elizabeth and Ellis.....	1
Total		48

Alleys Cindered.

From	Between	Blocks
Pope to Shelley.....	Lincoln and Howett.....	2
Hall to Delaware.....	Behrends and Ravine.....	1
Total		3

Gutters Constructed and Repaired.

During the year there were 1909 feet of stone gutters constructed and 499 feet of brick gutters reset and repaired.

Stone Gutters Constructed.

	Feet
Prairie and Fisher	12
Garfield and College.....	49
State and Swinnerton.....	40
Mary, between Perry and Glendale.....	352
Atlantic, between Kansas and Frye.....	320
Henry, between Cass and Tyng.....	329
Bigelow, between Armstrong and Richmond	150
Maple, between Adams and Washington.....	67
Caroline, between Adams and Water.....	590
Total	1909

Brick Gutters Reset.

	Feet
Garfield, beween Windom and College.....	210
Pennsylvania, between New York and California.....	150
Adams, at Nevada.....	79
State, at Globe..	60
Total	499

Small Bridges and Culverts.

All small bridges were carefully examined and such repairs made as found necessary for the safety of the public.

Ten new culverts were constructed and twenty-two culverts repaired

Small Bridges Repaired.

On	Between	Number
Nebraska.....	North and Elizabeth	1
Wisconsin	Willcox.....	1
Grant.....	Adams	1
Griswold	Seibold.....	1
McClure	Knoxville and Dechman.....	1
Total		5

Wood Culverts Constructed.

Street	At	Number
McClure	Bigelow	1
Humboldt	Livingston	1
Montana	Oregon.....	1
Thrush	Peoria	1
Seventh.....	Prairie.....	1
Wisconsin	Arcadia.....	1

Street	At	Number
Abington	Pacific	1
Republic	Delaware	1
Gift, between Dechman and Peoria.....		1
Camblin, between Jefferson and Madison.....		1
Total		10

Culverts Repaired.

Street	At	Number
Globe	Sanford	1
Garden.....	Warren	1
Washington	Pecan	1
Garden.....	Chandler	1
Globe	Monson	1
Globe	Sanford	1
Peoria	Missouri	1
Starr	Western	1
McClure	Knoxville	1
Sanford	Second	1
Hayward	Jefferson	1
Gift	California	1
Proctor	Western	1
Jefferson	Camblin	1
Garden	Warren	1
Frye	East	1
Orange	Chambers	1
Thrush	Peoria	1
Second	Fisher	1
Globe	State	1
Antoinette	Chandler	1
First	Sand	1
Total		22

Water Troughs.

	Constructed	Repaired	Times Cleaned
South Washington and Sanger .....	..	1	3
Western and Seventh .....	..	1	3
Grant and North Adams .....	..	1	2
Harrison and South Washington .....	..	1	3
Morgan and Monroe	1	..	3
Spring and Adams .....	..	..	2
New York and Armstrong .....	..	1	2
Nebraska and Knoxville .....	..	1	3
Washington and Persimmon	1	..	1

	Constructed	Repaired	Times Cleaned
Western and Lincoln.....	..	..	2
Cedar and Gallatin.....	..	1	3
Tyng and Garden.....	..	1	3
Douglas and Main.....	..	1	2
Monroe and Franklin .....	..	1	3
South Adams and City Limits.....	1	..	2
New and Brotherson.....	..	1	3
Garden and Warren.....	..	1	3
Total.....	8	12	43

Crossings.

During the year 1904 there were 255 new wood crossings constructed and 41 stone crossings set.

107 wood crossings were repaired and 42 stone crossings reset. 1,299 crossings in the business center and 1,597 crossings in the residence portion were cleaned.

Crossings Constructed—Wood.

Street	At	Number
Russell.....	Frink	2
Smith	Charlton	2
Johnson	Webster	1
McBean.....	Webster	1
First	Sand	3
Second.....	Spencer	1
Prairie	Sand	3
First	Spencer	2
Gift.....	Missouri	2
Brotherson	Pecan	1
Lincoln	Brown	2
Howett.....	Alfred	1
Second.....	Allen	2
Steubenville.....	McBean	1
Steubenville.....	Johnson	2
Butler.....	Blaine	1
Goodwin	Prairie	2
Spencer	Hurlburt	1
Windom	Douglas	2
Goodwin	Hurlburt	1
Antoinette.....	Warren	2
Antoinette.....	Berrian	2
Starr.....	Arago	1

Street	At	Number
Garden	Brown	1
Garden	Chandler.....	3
McClure	Bigelow	2
Dechman	Nebraska	2
Bigelow	Richmond.....	1
Lincoln	Western	1
Howett	Blaine	2
Chambers	Flora	1
Perry	Morton.....	2
Howett.....	Chandler.....	1
Howett.....	Bush.....	2
Steubenville.....	Hurlburt	1
Peoria	Nebraska	2
Madison	Van Buren.....	2
Jefferson	Grant	1
Jefferson	Abington.....	1
Jefferson	Van Buren	1
Steubenville	Smith.....	1
First.....	Merriman	2
Star.....	Hecox	2
Oakland	Hecox	2
Sanger	Oakland	2
Warren	Oakland	2
Proctor	Ann	1
Bigelow	Nebraska	2
Glen Oak.....	Elliott Place	1
Glendale.....	Morton	2
Nebraska	Wisconsin.....	1
Nebraska	Bigelow	1
Pope.....	Millman.....	3
Hayward	Madison	2
Wayne	Washington	2
Frye	Wisconsin	1
Richmond	Linn	2
Perry	Wayne	2
Chambers	Douglas	2
Steubenville	Allen	2
Webster	Johnson	1
First	Charlton	2
Nebraska	Atlantic	2
Nebraska	California	1
Howett	Shelley	1
Glendale	Isaac	1
Oregon	Montana	2

Street	At	Number
Warren	Widenham	1
Windom	Orange.....	2
Wiswall	Western.....	2
Gift	California	1
Garden.....	Mathew	1
Atlantic	Frye	1
Malone	Chandler.....	2
Garden	Berrian	3
Malone	Chandler.....	2
Garden	Hecox	1
Garden	Mathew	2
Garden	Warren	1
Howett	Linden	2
McBean	McReynolds	1
Jefferson	Adams	1
Smith	Webster	2
Behrends	Atlantic	1
Wisconsin	Kansas	1
McClure	Delaware.....	1
Charlton	First	1
Howett	Cedar	1
Howett	Western	1
McClure	Pacific	1
Arcadia	Peoria	1
Wisconsin	Kansas	1
Delaware	Behrends	2
Western	Quince	1
Humboldt	Faraday	1
Humboldt	Western	1
First	Webster	2
Glendale	Hancock	1
Glendale	Bryan	1
Wayne	Glendale	1
Frye	Pacific	2
Perry	Hayward	1
Kansas	Delaware	1
Frye	Central	1
Wisconsin	Republic	1
Prairie	Shipman	2
Frye	Peoria	1
Republic	North	1
McClure	North	1
Johnson	McReynolds	1
Starr	Blaine	1

Street	At	Number
Starr	Hecox	1
Quince	Hecox	1
Oregon	South Park	1
Grinnell	Livingston	1
Nebraska	Peoria	1
Dechman	Peoria	2
Linn	Arcadia	1
Arcadia	Bigelow	1
Arcadia	Linn	1
Helen	George	1
Fishgate	Ligonier	1
Fishgate	Miller	2
Second	McReynolds	2
St. Giles	Jefferson	1
Grant	Jefferson	1
Helen	Center	1
Glendale	Morgan	2
Warren	Howett	1
Garden	Blaine	1
Starr	Blaine	1
Millman	Warren	1
Blaine	Oakland	2
Second	Sand	1
First	Webster	1
Republic	Delaware	1
Western	Ayres	1
Sand	Second	1
Madison	VanBuren	11
Warren, between Millman and Butler		1
Windom, between Douglas and Orange		2
Wiswall, between Faraday and Western		2
Quince, between Vine and Blaine		1
Lavielle, between Jefferson and Madison		1
Maple, between Adams and Warner		1
Morgan, between Jefferson and Adams		1
Nebraska, between Knoxville and Linn		2
Hancock, between Monroe and Perry		1
Green, between Monroe and Madison		1
Charlton, between Third and Fourth		2
Charlton, between Second and Third		1
Hayward, between Madison and Monroe		1
Nebraska, between North and Elizabeth		1
Bigelow, between Nebraska and Richmond		2
Caroline, between Monroe and Perry		1

Street		Number
Gift, between California and Missouri.....		1
Charlton, between Lincoln and Howett.....		1
Camblin, between Jefferson and Madison.....		1
Webster, between First and Second.....		1
Bigelow, between McClure and Virginia.....		1
Richmond, between North and Bigelow.....		1
Widenham, between Allen and Warren.....		1
Spring, between Perry and Monroe		1
Bryan, between Perry and Monroe.....		1
Bryan, between Madison and Monroe		1
Spring, between Madison and Monroe		1
Spring, between Glendale and Glen Oak		1
Gift, between Peoria and Missouri.....		2
Republic, between Linn and Knoxville		1
Allen, between Smith and Steubenville		1
Western, between Proctor and Ann.....		1
Gift, between Dechman and Peoria.....		1
Sanford, between First and Second.....		1
State, between Second and Third.....		1
Bigelow, between Richmond and Nebraska.....		1
Hayward, between Adams and Jefferson.....		1
Chandler, between Starr and Malone		1
Elm, between Warner and Reed.....		1
Hayward, between Perry and Monroe.....		1
Spring, between Madison and Jefferson		1
Spencer, between Sixth and Seventh.....		1
Nebraska, between Peoria and Dechman.....		2
Arcadia, between Linn and Bigelow.....		1
Western, between Lincoln and Howett.....		1
St. Giles, between Adams and Jefferson.....		1
Persimmon, between Warner and Reed.....		1
Olive, between Center and George		1
Spring, between Madison and Monroe.....		1
Total crossings constructed	255	

Crossings—Constructed—Stone.

Street	At	Number
Millman	Warren	2
Second.....	Sand.....	1
Olive	Center	1
George.....	Center	1
Pennsylvania.....	Missouri	1
Pennsylvania.....	California	1

Street	At	Number
Garden	Tyng	1
Pope.....	Shelley.....	1
Pennsylvania.....	California	1
Bigelow	Richmond.....	1
Howett.....	Charlton.....	1
Maple	Forsyth	1
Jackson.....	Pennsylvania.....	2
Howett.....	Webster.....	1
Blaine.....	Starr.....	1
Lincoln.....	Western	1
Garfield, between Main and Russell.....		1
California, between Armstrong and Pennsylvania.....		1
Maple, between Adams and Washington.....		1
Sanford, between Sixth and Seventh.....		2
Bigelow, between Chambers and Armstrong.....		1
Shipman, between Third and Fourth.....		2
Shipman, between Seventh and Hillyer.....		1
Voris, between Perry and Monroe.....		1
Voris, between Madison and Monroe.....		1
Globe, between State and Sanford		1
Persimmon, between Reed and Warner.....		1
Oak, between Reed and Warner.....		1
Bryan, between Jefferson and Madison.....		1
Garden	Chandler	2
Antoinette	Alfred	1
Garden.....	Western	1
Persimmon	Gallatin	1
Ann.....	Warren	1
Smith	Allen	1
Total.....		41

Crossing Repaired—Wood.

Street	At	Number
Steubenville	Allen	1
First.....	Charlton.....	2
First	Sand	1
Webster	Johnson	1
Brotherson	McReynolds	1
Brotherson	Merriman	1
Frye	Pacific	1
Bryan	Adams	1
Garden	Warren	1
Spencer	Hurlburt	1
Fisher	Prairie	1

Street	At	Number
Jefferson	Van Buren	2
McClure	Bigelow	1
Nebraska	Peoria	2
Johnson	Charlton	2
First	Elliott	2
Pecan.....	Gallatin.....	1
Allen	Widenham	1
Pecan.....	New	1
Perry	Morgan	1
Perry	Morton	1
Second.....	Webster	2
Spencer.....	Prairie	2
Linden.....	New	1
Peoria	Nebraska	2
Grant.....	Jefferson	1
Abington.....	Jefferson	1
First.....	Merriman	1
Elliott	Smith	1
Garden	Western	1
Gift.....	California	1
Wisconsin.....	Frye	1
Cass	Henry	1
Chandler.....	Garden	1
McBean.....	McReynolds	2
Johnson	McReynolds	1
McBean.....	Steubenville	1
Greenleaf	Fowler	1
Armstrong	Linn	1
Russell.....	Garfield	1
Howett.....	Western	1
Garden.....	Blaine	1
McBean.....	Brotherson	1
Howett.....	Charlton	2
May.....	Cedar	1
Webster.....	McBean	2
Reed.....	Hurlburt	1
Jackson	Pennsylvania	1
White	Pennsylvania	1
Western.....	Starr	1
Western.....	Quince	1
Elm.....	Reed	1
Butler.....	Webster	1
Pacific.....	Frye	1
Hayward	Monroe	1

Street	At	Number
Hayward	Madison	1
Hayward	Jefferson	1
Prairie	Shipman	1
Hurlburt	Shipman	1
Windom	Frink	1
Saratoga	Brotherson	2
Glen Oak	Monson	2
Globe	State	1
Fourth	Elliott	1
Garden	Blaine	1
Starr	Blaine	1
Perry	Voris	1
Antoinette	Louisa	1
Ann	Olive	1
Hurlburt	Shipman	2
Garden	Hecox	1
Globe	Monson	1
Hurlburt	McReynolds	1
Smith	Steubenville	2
Blaine	Oakland	1
Howett	Western	1
Olive	George	2
Cass	Henry	2
Evans	Glendale	1
Garden	Chandler	1
State	Swinnerton	1
Irving	Washington	2
Fifth	Elliott	1
Second	Charlton	1
Hurlburt	Reed	1
Seventh	Allen	1
Total		107

Crossings Repaired and Reset—Stone.

Street	At	Number
Hancock	Commercial	1
Hurlburt	Shipman	2
Malone	Western	1
Ann	Louisa	1
Ann	Louisa	2
Garfield	College	1
Warren	Howett	1
Olive	George	1
Olive	Henry	1

Street	At	Number
Cass	Henry	1
Seventh	Hillyer.....	1
Main.....	Glen Oak	1
Antoinette.....	Warren	1
Irving.....	Washington	1
Adams	Voris	1
Fifth	Spencer.....	1
Persimmon.....	Gallatin	1
Ann	Warren.....	1
Allen	Smith	1
Harrison, between Adams and Washington		1
Globe, between Monson and Sanford.....		1
Shipman, between Hurlburt and Smith.....		1
Bigelow, between Chambers and Armstrong.....		2
Green, between Adams and Jefferson.....		1
Green, between Madison and Jefferson.....		1
Wayne, between Adams and Jefferson.....		1
Morgan, between Madison and Jefferson		2
Morton, between Madison and Jefferson.....		1
Evans, between Madison and Jefferson		1
Wayne, between Madison and Monroe.....		1
Bryan, between Madison and Monroe.....		2
Bryan, between Perry and Monroe.....		1
Olive, between Center and George.....		1
Globe, between State and Sanford.....		1
Persimmon, between Reed and Warner.....		1
Bryan, between Jefferson and Madison.....		1
Oak, between Warner and Reed.....		1
Total.....		42

	Crossings Cleaned.	Number
December		156
January.....		97
February.....		149
March		207
April.....		224
May.....		78
June.....		63
July.....		29
August.....		38
September.....		60
October		42
November.....		156
Total.....		1299

Grading and Repairing Unimproved Streets.

During the year 1904, there were 2,556 blocks of gutters opened up and cleaned and 401 blocks of streets graded by hand and machine. 210,000 lineal feet of streets were cleaned of weeds and put in good sanitary condition.

Cleaning Gutters.

December.....	279 blocks
January.....	162 "
February.....	293 "
March.....	326 "
April.....	371 "
May.....	207 "
June.....	75 "
July.....	103 "
August.....	201 "
September.....	187 "
October.....	164 "
November.....	191 "
Total	2556 "

Grading Streets.

Street	From	Blocks
Sand.....	Second to Seventh.....	2
Cedar.....	Brotherson to Howett.....	2
Cedar.....	Howett to Water	6
Martin.....	Western to Krause.....	2
May.....	Cedar to Edmund	2
Baldwin.....	Jackson east.....	1
Jefferson	Cornhill to Abington.....	3
Jefferson	Adams to Abington.....	3
Van Buren	Jefferson to Monroe	3
North Madison	Van Buren to Camblin.....	2
Republic.....	Knoxville to Linn	1
Seventh.....	Fourth to Western.....	5
Seventh.....	Union to Fourth.....	4
Nebraska.....	Elizabeth to North	3
Ellis.....	Nebraska to City Limits.....	1
East.....	Pacific to Frye.....	1
Sixth.....	Spencer to Elliott.....	3
Madison.....	VanBuren to Camblin	1

Street	From	Blocks
Pacific.....	Frye to McClure.....	5
Fifth.....	Spencer to Seventh.....	4
Fourth.....	Spencer to Seventh.....	9
First.....	Spencer to Sand.....	9
First.....	Grove to Sand.....	2
Prairie.....	Warren to Sand.....	3
Saratoga.....	Hurlburt to Smith.....	1
New.....	Brotherson to Linden.....	3
New.....	Lincoln to Linden.....	1
George.....	McCall to Olive.....	4
George.....	Helen to Olive.....	1
Chandler.....	Malone to Starr.....	1
Woolner.....	Jackson to White.....	2
White.....	Pennsylvania to Glen Oak.....	3
Jackson.....	Pennsylvania to Glen Oak.....	4
Jefferson.....	Cornhill to Camblin.....	5
Ellis.....	Armstrong to Chester.....	1
Butler.....	Warren to Butler.....	2
VanBuren.....	Jefferson to Rock Island.....	2
Kinsey.....	Wisconsin to Delaware.....	1
Delaware.....	Ravine to Kinsey.....	1
Irving.....	Washington to Water.....	1
Smith.....	Allen to Warren.....	2
Warren.....	Smith to Widenham.....	1
Blaine.....	Millman to Butler.....	1
Steubenville.....	Prairie to McBean.....	5
Webster.....	McBean to Fourth.....	8
Johnson.....	Spencer to Steubenville.....	7
Merriman.....	Prairie to Fourth.....	9
Faraday.....	Grinnell to Hayes.....	1
Shelley.....	Lincoln to Kettelle.....	4
Warren.....	Lincoln to Prairie.....	8
Second.....	Spencer to Seventh.....	10
First.....	Spencer to Seventh.....	11
Shipman.....	Reed to Hillyer.....	8
Hillyer.....	Fisher to Shipman.....	2
Millman.....	Pope to Warren.....	3
Kettelle.....	Blaine to Warren.....	2
Kettelle.....	Allen to Warren.....	2
Gallatin.....	Persimmon to Lincoln.....	5
Hall.....	Behrends to Nebraska.....	1
Wisconsin.....	Nebraska to McClure.....	6
Kansas.....	Wisconsin to Pacific.....	5
Delaware.....	Behrends to Nebraska.....	2

Street	From	Blocks
Antoinette	Blaine to Western	3
Sumner	Ann to Antoinette	1
Brotherson	Spencer to New	2
Warren	Adams to Washington	1
Apple	Adams to Washington	1
Oakland	Knowland to Warren	2
Warren	Garden to Oakland	2
Hecox	Adams to Oakland	1
Nebraska	Knoxville to Atlantic	12
Linn	Arcadia to McClure	2
Kansas	Wisconsin to Hall	2
Behrends	Wisconsin to Atlantic	3
Garden	Adams to Chandler	13
McReynolds	Johnson to Smith	1
Western	Oakland to Howett	10
Alfred	Garden to Antoinette	3
Missouri	Pennsylvania to Illinois	1
California	Armstrong to Illinois	2
Ann	Sumner to Olive	2
Arcadia	North to California	7
Republic	Knoxville to North	3
Linn	Republic to McClure	3
North Frink	Main to Chambers	3
Culter	Moss to Bradley	2
Laveille	Glendale to Perry	1
Western	Adams to Washington	1
Globe	Main to State	3
Monson	Fifth to Bluff	3
Webster	Third to Second	1
Second	Webster to Charlotte	2
Elliott	Fifth to Seventh	2
Blaine	Garden to Starr	3
Cedar	Adams to Warner	2
Smith	Shipman to Western	14
Lincoln	Chandler to Western	2
Howett	Cedar to Western	10
Third	Spencer to Seventh	8
Second	Spencer to Seventh	11
Olive	Lincoln to Adams	3
Hickory	Antoinette to Garden	2
Matthews	Antoinette to Ann	2
Warren	Antoinette to Ann	2
Third	Spencer to Seventh	8
Elm	Reed to Adams	2

Street	From	Blocks
Hayes.....	Easton to Western.....	1
Millman.....	Bush to Western.....	4
South.....	Adams to Water.....	2
Elliott.....	Third to Seventh.....	4
Western.....	Moss to Main.....	10
Edmund.....	Adams to Center.....	1
Adams.....	Grant to Jefferson.....	1
Total.....		401

Streets Cindered.

Street	From	Blocks
Millman.....	Warren to Blaine.....	1
McReynolds.....	Hurlburt to Smith.....	1
Livingston.....	Grinnell to Krause.....	2
Western.....	Adams to Humboldt.....	2
Sanger.....	Washington to Adams.....	1
Hecox.....	Washington to Adams.....	1
South.....	Washington to Adams.....	1
Cass.....	Washington to Adams.....	1
Cass.....	Adams to Henry.....	1
Grinnell.....	Adams to Livingston.....	2
Warren.....	Adams to Washington.....	1
Charlotte.....	Ann to Lincoln.....	2
Krause.....	Adams to Lincoln.....	1
Total.....		17

Gravel Streets Repaired.

Street	From	Blocks
Caroline.....	Adams to Washington.....	1
Wayne.....	Glendale to Monroe.....	2
Green.....	Glendale to Adams.....	5
Hancock.....	Glendale to Water.....	6
Bryan.....	Glendale to Adams.....	5
Jackson.....	Glendale to Jefferson.....	4
Frye.....	Knoxville to Pacific.....	10
Pennsylvania.....	Indiana to Knoxville.....	6
West Armstrong.....	Knoxville to Elizabeth.....	6
Morgan.....	Adams to Glendale.....	5
Glendale.....	Hamilton to Spring.....	10
Evans.....	Perry to Adams.....	4
Saratoga.....	Moss to Fifth.....	2
Mary.....	Adams to Monroe.....	3
Richmond.....	Knoxville to Bigelow.....	2
Total.....		71

Miscellaneous Work Done.

During the past year the easterly roadway and approach to the upper free bridge, one mile in length, was graded and opened up for traffic.

The approaches to the Farm Creek bridge were filled with suitable material. 500 loads of rock and dirt were placed on the river side of the Detention hospital, at the foot of Grant street. This was made necessary by the high water washing away the foundation.

In conclusion I would say all the work has had my personal attention and supervision and was done with as small an expense as possible, and I would suggest that the appropriations for street cleaning and miscellaneous street work be larger. Also that a small increase be made in the appropriation for crossings. That all crossings hereafter be constructed of brick, the expense of a brick crossing being only one third larger than that of wood and the life of a wood crossing is only two years, while the life of a brick crossing is at least ten years.

I would also suggest that an appropriation be made for flushing the streets in the business district once each week, the cost of which would not exceed \$1,500.00 for labor. Also that some arrangements be made, either by an ordinance or an appropriation, for the sprinkling of our brick paved streets. This would lay the small particles of dust and prevent the same from being carried into the stores and residences, thus making the sanitary condition of the city much better. This could be done at a small expense.

Respectfully submitted,
GEO. E. WILDE,
Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS.

Mr. R. W. Schuch, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEAR SIR : I have the honor to submit for your consideration the report of the operations of the Sewer Department for the year ending December 31st, 1904. The following catch basins were placed and charged to the various special assessments:

- One new Columbus, southeast corner Oak and Washington.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner Oak and Washington.
- One McDonald, reset, corner Oak and Washington.
- One McDonald, reset, northwest corner Maple and Washington.
- One McDonald, reset, northwest corner Persimmon and Washington.
- One McDonald, reset, northeast corner Persimmon and Washington.
- One new Columbus, southwest corner New York and Pennsylvania.
- One new Columbus, southeast corner New York and Pennsylvania.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner New York and Pennsylvania.
- One new Columbus, northeast corner New York and Pennsylvania.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner Armstrong and Jackson.
- One new Columbus, southwest corner Armstrong and Jackson.
- One new Columbus, northeast corner Armstrong and Jackson.
- One new Columbus, north side, between Jackson and White, on Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, south side, between Jackson and White, on Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner Armstrong and White.
- One new Columbus, southwest corner Armstrong and White.
- One new Columbus, northeast corner Armstrong and White.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner Armstrong and California.
- One new Columbus, northeast corner Armstrong and California.
- One new Columbus, south side California and Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, northwest corner New York and Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, northeast corner New York and Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, south side New York and Armstrong.
- One new Columbus, Depot and Oak.
- One new Columbus on Oak, between Warner and Reed, east side.
- One new Columbus on Oak, between Warner and Reed, west side.
- One McDonald, reset, northeast corner Oak and Washington.

One McDonald, reset, on east side of Oak, between Washington and Adams.
One McDonald, reset, on west side of Oak, between Washington and Adams.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Fisher and Prairie.
One new Columbus, northwest corner Fisher and Prairie.
One new Columbus, intersection of Prairie and Reed.
One new Columbus, southeast corner Oak and Reed.
One new Columbus, southwest corner Maple and Reed.
One McDonald, reset, southeast corner Maple and Reed.
One McDonald, reset, west corner Shipman and Reed.
One new McDonald, east corner Shipman and Reed.
One McDonald, reset, intersection Smith and Reed.
One McDonald, reset, intersection Oak and Reed.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Shipman and Smith.
One new Columbus, southwest corner Spencer and Smith.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Merriman and Smith.
One new Columbus, southwest corner Merriman and Smith.
One new Columbus, southwest corner McReynolds and Smith.
One new Columbus, northeast corner McReynolds and Smith.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Saratoga and Smith.
One new Columbus, southwest corner Webster and Smith.
One new Columbus, southeast corner Webster and Smith.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Steubenville and Smith.
One McDonald, reset, southeast corner Steubenville and Smith.
One McDonald, reset, northeast corner Webster and Smith.
One McDonald, reset, southwest corner Saratoga and Smith.
One McDonald, reset, northwest corner Saratoga and Smith.
One McDonald, reset, northwest corner Elliott and Smith.
One McDonald reset, Southwest corner Elliott and Smith.
One McDonald reset, Northeast corner Elliott and Smith.
One McDonald reset, northwest corner McReynolds and Smith.
One McDonald reset, northwest corner Merriman and Smith.
One McDonald reset, northwest corner Spencer and Smith.
One McDonald reset, northeast corner Spencer and Smith.
One McDonald reset, northwest corner Shipman and Smith,

During my term of office, I made it my duty to find where catch basins were most needed. The only way to find out where these basins would do the most good was to go over the entire city and see where water lay in the streets after each rain. I have gone over the city every time it rained during the last year. I then went to the different Aldermen and asked them to have basins placed at the following locations:

One new McDonald inlet, northwest corner Middle and Webster.
One new Columbus, north side, Fourth and Kane.
One new Columbus, south side Garden, west of Tyng.
One new Columbus, Knoxville, north of Glen Oak,
One new Columbus, Caroline, south of Adams.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Main and Madison.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Fifth and Elliott,
One new Columbus, northeast corner Fifth and Elliott.
One new Columbus, northwest corner Fifth and Elliott.
One new Columbus, northeast corner Monroe and Main,
One new Columbus, southeast corner Perry and Morton.
One new McDonald, northwest corner Webster and Johnson.
One new McDonald, Shelley, north of Lincoln.
One new Columbus, Washington, west of Cedar.
One new Columbus, east side of Goodwin, north of Seventh.
One new Columbus, west side of Goodwin, north of Seventh.
One new Columbus, corner Franklin and Adams.
One new Columbus, corner Bridge and Adams.

New Manholes.

Intersection of Elliott and Third.
Intersection of Kane and Third.

Flush Tank and Manholes raised to surface.

One on Wayne and Madison.
One on Voris, between Adams and Jefferson.
One on Sanford and Third.
One on Sanford between Third and Fourth.
One on Maple, north of Warner.
One on Elm, north of Warner.
One on Persimmon, north of Warner.
One on Seventh and Western.
One on Second, west of Webster.
One on Saratoga, between First and Second.
One on Saratoga, between Fifth and Seventh.
One on Elliott, between Fifth and Sixth.
One on Alley, between Callender, north of Moss.
One on Alley, south of Barker and north of Moss.
One on Alley between Barker and Fredonia, off University.
One on Alley north of Moss, east of Saratoga.
One on Perry and Spring.
One on Saratoga and Third.
One on Pope and Kettelle.
One on Alley between Butler and Kettelle, off Steubenville.
One on Adams and South.

One on Tyng and Garden.
 One on Garden and Louisa.
 One on Center and Helen.

Manholes and Flush Tanks lowered on account of Grading Streets.

Seventh and Elliott.
 Hillyer and Shipman.
 Third, west of Webster.
 Third and Fisher.
 Fifth and Shipman.
 Shipman, between Fourth and Fifth.

Manhole Covers Replaced.

Adams and Wayne,
 Jefferson and Hancock.
 Alley, north of Reed.
 Sanford, between Third and Fourth.
 Water and Walnut.
 Jefferson and Wayne.
 Dechman and Illinois.
 Spencer, between Fifth and Sixth.
 South and Washington.

Catch Basins Cleaned.

Having paid considerable attention to this part of the work, I have gone over the entire city three times and when the cold weather set in, every catch basin was cleaned to the bottom.

January.....	12
February.....	5
March.....	16
April.....	30
May.....	20
June.....	60
July.....	30
August.....	35
September.....	100
October.....	50
November.....	150
December....	126
Total.....	<u>534</u>

Sewer District No. 1.

This case was tried in Court and did not pass. I was in hopes this sewer would go through this season as it is badly needed.

North Peoria Sewer, East Section.

The east section of the North Peoria sewer is now under construction. The contract was let by the Board late in the fall and the contractors have been working every day that the weather would permit.

South Street Sewer.

Steps have been taken to build the South Street Sewer System. The city engineer has been instructed to prepare plans for the same and he is now working on them. This system will embrace territory south of Lincoln, between Cedar and Blaine to the Illinois river.

Sewer Permits.

There were issued during the year 354 permits for sewer connections as compared with 337 the previous year, showing a greater tendency to connect new buildings with the sewers at the time of erection.

Monson & Sanford's Addition.

Previous to this year there has been much trouble in Monson & Sanford's Addition, the overflow from the street filling the cellars in the vicinity of Swinnerton and Sanford streets. We have built a storm water sewer on Swinnerton street to Globe street, up Globe street to Sanford street. On this we have built eight basins which helps to take care of the overflow.

Inspections.

We have made several inspections of the different sewers and find them in need of various repairs. We ex-

tended the Old Goose Lake Sewer on Third street from Elliott to Charlton streets; also put in several manholes on the same system. Before we could go into this sewer, we had to remove about 300 loads of dirt.

In my last report I asked that steps be taken to put the Spring Street Sewer in good shape before the east section of the North Peoria Sewer was joined to it. Nothing has been done and they have attached this sewer and now repairs will be that much harder to make on account of the additional water.

Jackson Street Sewer.

My last report shows that the sewer was in bad condition at the outlet and is still in the same condition. This will soon have to be rebuilt.

Pipe Used by City for New Inlets, Repairs, Etc.

	8 inch	10 inch	12 inch	15 inch	18 inch	20 inch
Franklin and Adams.....	6½					
Bridge and Adams.....	89					
Bridge, between Washington and Adams.....	21½					
Morton and Perry.....	24					
Shipman and Reed.....	29					
Shipman and Smith.....	14					
Johnson and Webster.....	24½					
Webster and Middle.....	24½					
Knoxville, North of Glen Oak.....	11½					
Shelley, North of Lincoln.....	19					
Goodwin, North of Seventh, west side.....	14					
Goodwin, North of Seventh, east side.....	24					
Oak and Reed.....	18½					
Fifth and Elliott, southeast corner.....		25				
Fifth and Elliott, northeast corner.....		20½				
Washington and Oak.....		32½				
Fourth and Kane.....		20				
New York and Pennsylvania, southeast corner.....		17				
New York and Pennsylvania, southwest corner.....		15				
Oak and Washington, southwest corner.....			20			
Oak and Washington.....			20			
Oak and Depot.....			17½			
Caroline, below Adams.....			32			
Hecox Street.....				67		
Goodwin, from Seventh North.....					132	
Total.....	270	180	89½	67	132	
Total pipe used.....						688½ feet

REPORT

TABLE SHOWING ALL CIRCULAR BRICK SEWERS IN CITY OF PEORIA.

Total miles circular brick sewer..... 11.77

TABLE SHOWING ALL EGG-SHAPED BRICK SEWERS.

	3 ft. 8 in.	2 ft. 6 in.	2 ft. 0 in.	2 ft. x 8 ft.	3 ft. 1½ in.	3 ft. 8 in.	3 ft. 1¼ in.	3 ft. 4¾ in.	3 ft. 8 in.	3 ft. 6 in.	3 ft. 0 in.	4 ft.	4 ft. 6 in.	4 ft. 8 in.	4 ft. 6 in.	4 ft. 8 in.	4 ft. 6 in.	5 ft.	
Green street.....																			
Morgan street.....																			
South Peoria.....																			
Parsonsmon St.....																			
Walnut Street.....																			
West Bluff.....																			
Total.....	5,040	6,285	8,545	6,875	444	3,246	400	2,773	—	2,858	8,325	1,468	627	2,805	8,380	2,805	8,380	2,805	8,380

Total miles 600 shaned brick sewers 0 00

The city now has over \$1,000,000 worth of sewers in the streets. Some of them are new and some are old and need repairs. I would ask that when the appropriation bill is prepared, that enough funds be appropriated to take proper care of the sewers. Looking over former reports, I find that the city has put in more catch basins in the past two years than has been put in in ten years; more sewers have been cleaned and catch basins have been gone over not only once a year but three and four times, as some of them are at sandy hills and when it rains, the sand runs into the basins. These places we go to after each rain. As there are several hundred more catch basins to be added and looked after, I would say that it will require more funds to take proper care of the sewers.

Respectfully submitted,

S. W. ECKLEY,
Superintendent of Sewers.

REPORT OF SIDEWALK INSPECTOR.

R. W. Schuch, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—I herewith submit for your consideration a report of the sidewalks constructed under my supervision during the year ending December 31st, 1904, as shown by the following tables:

Table of Cement Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Adams, North...	North	Spring and Caroline	170
Adams, North...	South	Jackson and Eaton	50
Adams, South...	South	Liberty and Harrison	50
Adams, South...	South	Walnut and Chestnut	75
Adams, South...	South	Spurck and Krause	80
Adams, South...	South	Spurck and Western	50
Adams, South...	North	Cass and Garden	70
Adams, South...	South	Liberty and Harrison	35
Adams, South...	South	Main and Fulton	85
Ann	North	Chicago and Olive	60
Arcadia.....	North	Knoxville and Linn	400
Arcadia.....	North	Linn and Bigelow	195
Arcadia.....	North	Linn and Bigelow	190
Armstrong, E.	North	New York and Glen Oak	35
Armstrong, E.	North	New York and Glen Oak	100
Atlantic	West	Behrends and Nebraska	60
Bigelow	East	Chambers and Armstrong	125
Bigelow	West	McClure and Virginia	160
Bigelow	West	McClure and Virginia	150
Blaine	East	Millman and Butler	120
Bradley	North	Underhill and University	25
Bradley	North	Underhill and Bradley	55
Bridge	East	Adams and Washington	65
Brotherson.....	North	Elliott and Saratoga	170
California.....	West	Ravine and Nebraska	40
California.....	West	Ravine and Nebraska	40
Callender	South	Cooper and Western	100
Center	North	George and Chicago	60
Center	North	Olive and Chicago	100
Chestnut.....	East	Adams and Washington	125
Chestnut.....	West	Adams and Washington	126
College	North	Frink and Bourland	40
Culter.....	East	Moss and Callender	50

Table of Cement Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Dechman	West	Pennsylvania and Illinois	150
Evans	East	Jefferson and Madison	180
Flora	West	Chambers and Armstrong	50
Flora	East	Main and Stone	60
Fourth	North	Monson and Sanford	10
Franklin	West	First and Second	60
Franklin	West	Adams and Jefferson	80
Fredonia	North	University and Malvern	10
Fulton	East	Adams and Washington	185
Glendale	South	Spring and Laveille	35
Goodwin	East	Seventh and Hillyer	35
Goodwin	East	Second and Third	160
Harrison	East	Adams and Washington	50
Hayward	East	Madison and Monroe	190
Hillyer	South	Goodwin and Shipman	25
Illinois	North	Knoxville and Dechman	35
Irving	East	Water and Washington	30
Irving	East	Water and Washington	120
Irving	East	Water and Washington	100
Isaac	North	West of Fowler	50
Jackson	West	Glen Oak and Armstrong	40
Jackson	West	Glen Oak and Armstrong	75
Jefferson, North	North	Abington and Van Buren	470
Jefferson, North	North	Adams and Van Buren	50
Jefferson, North	North	Adams and Van Buren	68
Jefferson, North	North	Abington and Van Buren	100
Jefferson, North	North	Abington and Van Buren	65
Jefferson, North	North	Camblin and Van Buren	37
Jefferson, North	North	Van Buren and City Limits	35
Jefferson, North	North	Van Buren and City Limits	41
Jefferson, North	North	Abington and Van Buren	30
Jefferson, North	North	Van Buren and Camblin	90
Jefferson, North	South	Hamilton and Fayette	100
Jefferson, South	South	Liberty and Harrison	100
Kettelle	South	Warren and Western	60
Kettelle	South	Warren and Western	60
Kettelle	South	Webster and Western	50
Kettelle	South	Webster and Western	50
Knoxville	East	Illinois and Richmond	50
Knoxville	West	Chambers and Armstrong	50
Knoxville	West	Chambers and Armstrong	100
Knoxville	West	Armstrong and Richmond	100
Knoxville	West	Armstrong and Richmond	65
Knoxville	West	Richmond and Nebraska	50
La Salle	South	Indiana and Wisconsin	40
La Salle	South	Indiana and Wisconsin	40
La Salle	South	Indiana and Wisconsin	70
Liberty	West	Adams and Jefferson	200
Linn	West	Arcadia and McClure	55
Linn	West	Arcadia and McClure	50
Linn	West	Arcadia and McClure	50

Table of Cement Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length
Linn.....	West.....	Arcadia and McClure	50
Linn.....	West.....	Arcadia and McClure	50
Linn.....	West.....	Republic and Arcadia	150
Lincoln.....	South.....	Lincoln Park and Sumner.....	75
Lincoln.....	North.....	Pope and Shelley.....	75
McClure, East ..	North	Knoxville and Peoria	150
McClure, East ..	North	Knoxville and Missouri.....	930
McClure, East ..	North	Missouri and Indiana	100
McClure, East ..	North	Missouri and Indiana.....	50
McClure, East ..	North	Missouri and Indiana	100
McClure, East ..	North	Indiana and Wisconsin	60
McClure, East ..	North	Wisconsin and Maryland	120
McClure, East ..	North	Atlantic and Maryland.....	60
McClure, East ..	North	Wisconsin and Maryland	60
McClure, East ..	North	Wisconsin and Maryland	60
McClure, East ..	North	Wisconsin and Maryland	150
McClure, East ..	North	Maryland and Atlantic	120
McClure, East ..	North	California and Indiana.....	110
McClure, East ..	North	California and Indiana.....	60
McClure, East ..	North	California and Indiana.....	50
McClure, West ..	North	Bigelow and North	50
McClure, West ..	North	Bigelow and North	50
McClure, West ..	North	Bigelow and North	50
McClure, West ..	North	Bigelow and North	45
McClure, West ..	North	Bigelow and North	45
McClure, West ..	North	Linn and Bigelow	45
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	40
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	30
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	60
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	South	Hayward and Abington	35
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	North	Hayward and Abington	50
Madison, North ..	North	Caroline and Mary	60
Madison, South ..	South	Main and Fulton	25
Main	West	Madison and Monroe	50
Main	East	Monroe and Perry	85
Main	North	Douglas and Orange	60
Malvern	West	Moss and Callender	150
Millman	North	Warren and Blaine	85
Missouri.....	West	Pennsylvania and Illinois	165
Monroe, North ..	South	Cornhill and Hayward	150
Monroe, North ..	North	Main and Hamilton	90
Nebraska, East ..	North	Dechman and Peoria	150
Nebraska, East ..	North	Dechman and Peoria	150
Nebraska, East ..	North	Peoria and Missouri	40
Nebraska, East ..	North	Peoria and Missouri	37

Table of Cement Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Nebraska, East	South	Wisconsin and Behrends	10
Nebraska, West	South	Knoxville and Linn	35
Nebraska, West	South	Knoxville and Linn	185
Nebraska, West	South	Knoxville and Linn	35
Nebraska, West	South	Knoxville and Linn	115
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	33
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	57
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	41
Nebraska, West	North	Bigelow and North	36
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	33
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	66
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	33
Nebraska, West	North	Bigelow and North	36
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	33
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	33
Nebraska, West	South	Bigelow and North	66
New York	East	Ravine and Nebraska	150
New York	West	Pennsylvania and Illinois	150
New York	West	Illinois and Ravine	150
New York	West	Illinois and Ravine	50
New York	West	Illinois and Ravine	50
New York	West	Illinois and Ravine	50
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	100
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	60
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	60
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	35
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	35
New York	West	Ravine and Nebraska	60
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	35
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	55
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	25
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	90
Peoria	West	Nebraska and Frye	40
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	25
Peoria	West	Nebraska and Frye	100
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	40
Peoria	West	Nebraska and Frye	30
Peoria	West	Nebraska and Frye	60
Peoria	West	Nebraska and Frye	345
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	185
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	40
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	40
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	40
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	42
Peoria	East	Nebraska and Frye	120
Perry	North	Evans and Morton	50
Perry	North	Evans and Morton	50
Persimmon	East	Warner and Reed	135
Persimmon	West	Warner and Reed	125
Ravine	North	Missouri and California	30
Reed	South	Maple and Persimmon	125

Table of Cement Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Richmond	South.....	Knoxville and Linn.....	200
Richmond	South.....	Knoxville and Linn.....	40
Richmond	South.....	Knoxville and Linn.....	160
Second	South.....	Franklin and Monson.....	90
Second	South.....	McReynolds and Elliott	60
Seventh	South.....	Sanford and State	10
Seventh	South.....	Monson and Sanford.....	40
Sixth	South.....	Spencer and Elliott.....	40
Sixth	South.....	Spencer and Elliott.....	40
Sixth	South.....	Spencer and Elliott.....	40
Sixth	South.....	Spencer and Elliott.....	40
St. James.....	N. and S.	University and Institute Place.....	700
St. James.....	North	Bradley and Underhill.....	160
St. James.....	North	Underhill and University.....	55
Steubenville	East	Hurlburt and Prairie.....	50
Steubenville	East	Hurlburt and Smith.....	10
Steubenville	East	Hurlburt and Smith.....	26
Steubenville	East	Hurlburt and Prairie.....	27
Steubenville	East	Hurlburt and McBean.....	50
Steubenville	East	Brotherson and McBean.....	90
Steubenville	East	Brotherson and McBean.....	21
Third	North	Goodwin and Shipman.....	62
Underhill	East	St. James and Windom.....	60
University, South	West.....	College and St. James.....	40
University, South	West.....	College and St. James.....	40
University, South	West.....	College and St. James	40
Virginia.....	North	Knoxville and Linn.....	50
Virginia.....	North	Knoxville and Linn.....	45
Warner.....	North	Cedar and Linden.....	30
Warner.....	North	Cedar and Linden.....	30
Warner.....	North	Cedar and Linden.....	25
Warner.....	North	Cedar and Linden.....	25
Warner.....	North	Cedar and Linden.....	60
Warner.....	North	Persimmon and Spencer	75
Washington, S.	North	Chestnut and Oak.....	65
Widenham.....	South.....	Allen and Warren	30
Wisconsin	East	Behrends and Nebraska.....	140
Wisconsin	West.....	Ravine and Behrends.....	40
Wisconsin	West.....	Ravine and Behrends.....	90
Wisconsin	East	Ravine and Nebraska.....	160
Wisconsin	West.....	Glen Oak and Illinois.....	35

Total number feet of Cement Walks..... 18,558

Table of Brick Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Adams, North...	South	Green and Wayne	30
Adams, North...	North	Evans and Morton	25
Adams, North...	South	Green and Wayne	80
Adams, South...	South	Liberty and Harrison	50
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	150
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	25
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	60
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	100
Adams, South...	North	Ligonier and Nevada	60
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	80
Adams, South...	North	Griswold and Ligonier	30
Adams, South...	North	Oak and Elm	30
Adams, South...	South	Elm and Maple	40
Adams, South...	North	Liberty and Harrison	35
Alfred	East	Garden and Antoinette	115
Antoinette	East	Alfred and Western	140
Armstrong, E...	North	Jackson and White	60
Armstrong, E...	North	Jackson and White	50
Armstrong, E...	North	Jackson and White	30
Bigelow	East	Chambers and Armstrong	40
Blaine	West	Starr and Garden	430
Blaine	West	Adams and Oakland	150
Blaine	West	Millman and Brotherson	126
Brotherson	South	Cedar and Butler	65
Bradley	South	Underhill and University	100
Bradley	North	Underhill and University	25
Butler	South	Blaine and Western	45
Caroline	East	Adams and Jefferson	180
Chandler	East	Starr and Malone	140
Charlton	West	Butler and Brotherson .....	.....
Charlton	West	Third and Fourth	45
Easton	East	Adams and Hayes	50
Fayette	West	Adams and Jefferson	75
First	North	Webster and Sand	200
Frink	West	Main and Russell	160
Glendale	South	Bryan and Hancock	35
Goodwin	East	Seventh and Hillyer	85
Green	East	Water and Washington	20
Hamilton	West	Jefferson and Madison	75
Hecox	West	Quince and Starr	50
Hillyer	South	Fisher and Goodwin	100
Hillyer	South	Goodwin and Shipman	50
Isaac	North	Alley and Fowler	50
Jackson	West	Washington and Adams	70
Jefferson, North.	South	Jackson and Bryan	170
Kane	West	Second and Third	160

Table of Brick Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Laveille	East	Jefferson and Madison	180
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	85
Lincoln	North	Webster and Pope	50
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	30
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	9
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	50
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	50
Lincoln	North	Pope and Shelley	40
Lincoln	North	Lincoln and Bush	30
Lincoln	West	Ann and Lincoln	150
Madison, North	North	Caroline and Mary	60
Madison, South	North	Fulton and Liberty	40
Main	North	Frink and Bourland	60
Malone	South	Western and Chandler	150
Monroe, South	South	Main and Fulton	40
Olive	East	Ann and George	150
Olive	West	Adams and Henry	75
Olive	East	Adams and Center	80
Orange, North	East	Russell and Chambers	50
Perry	South	Mary and Cornhill	115
Sand	West	Prairie and First	150
Second	South	Webster and Sand	106
Shelley	East	Lincoln and McBean	40
Sixth	North	Fisher and Goodwin	60
Smith	North	Allen and Warren	45
Smith	North	Spencer and Merriman	80
Smith	North	Saratoga and Charlton	75
Smith	North	Allen and Warren	35
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	33
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	33
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	33
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	33
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	60
Starr	North	Western and Chandler	58
St. Giles	East	Adams and Jefferson	180
Third	South	Webster and Sand	140
Third	South	Goodwin and Shipman	60
Third	North	Webster and Sand	35
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	30
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	25
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	30
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	25
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	50
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	25
Warner	North	Cedar and Linden	25
Warner	South	Walnut and Chestnut	40
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	60
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	60
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	25
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	25
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	50
Warren	West	Ann and Antoinette	50

Table of Brick Sidewalks Constructed During 1904.—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Side	Between	Length in feet
Warren.....	West.....	Ann and Antoinette.....	100
Warren.....	West.....	Ann and Antoinette.....	50
Warren.....	West.....	Ann and Antoinette.....	60
Warren.....	West.....	Ann and Antoinette.....	60
Warren.....	West.....	Ann and Antoinette.....	65
Warren.....	West.....	Howett and Millman.....	130
Washington, S.....	North.....	Harrison and Bridge.....	60
Washington, S.....	North.....	Chicago and Lisk.....	30
Washington, S.....	North.....	Elm and Maple.....	75
Webster.....	West.....	First and Second.....	86
Webster.....	West.....	First and Second.....	170
Webster.....	West.....	Second and Third.....	88
Webster.....	West.....	Second and Third.....	60
Webster.....	West.....	Second and Third.....	75
Webster.....	West.....	Second and Third.....	30
Western.....	East.....	Barker and Fredonia.....	150
Western.....	East.....	Moss and Sherman.....	25
Widenham.....	North.....	Steubenville and Allen.....	65
Widenham.....	North.....	Steubenville and Allen.....	50
Widenham.....	North.....	Steubenville and Allen.....	34
Widenham.....	North.....	Steubenville and Allen.....	66

Total number feet of Brick Walk..... 8,995

Summary.

Brick 8,995 lin. ft.

Cement 18,558 lin. ft.

Total..... 27,553 "

Total miles..... 5.21

Increase over 1903...8,214 lineal feet or 1.55 miles.

In addition to the new walks laid, a number of old brick walks have been taken up and relaid so as to conform to established grades. Quite a number of worn and low places in the old brick walks have been put in a proper state of repair. It will be noticed that the amount of cement walk laid, is more than double that of brick, which is in itself an evidence of the fact that cement walks are being better constructed and hence are becoming more popular with the property owners; and especially so in the residence portion of the city. While the laying of walks has been general throughout the city, I desire to call attention to the fact that in that portion of the city formerly known as North Peoria, a great

deal of the old plank walk (which served its purpose so well in its day) has been replaced by beautiful white cement walks.

I desire to thank the City Engineer and his assistants for the promptness with which grades have been given; and also to thank the many sidewalk contractors and property owners for their uniform courtesy to me during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. NEWTON,
Sidewalk Inspector.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY ENGINEER.

**OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER, }
PEORIA, ILL., JANUARY 30, 1905. }**

To the Honorable Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Peoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration the report of the operations of the Engineer's Department for the year ending December 31, 1904.

Sidewalks.

The report of B. C. Newton, Inspector of Sidewalks, shows that, during the past year, there was constructed 8,995 lineal feet of brick sidewalk and 18,558 lineal feet of cement sidewalks, same being a total of 27,553 lineal feet, or 5.21 miles.

The Board of Local Improvements has instructed the Engineer's Department to submit estimates for the construction of numerous sidewalks throughout the city. The estimates have been prepared and, in a majority of cases, ordinances have been submitted to your honorable body, and the same have been approved. There has been no instance in which judgment has been taken in the County Court for the construction of the same, as is contemplated under the terms of a Local Improvment Act, adopted June 14th, 1897, and in force July 1st, 1897, and all acts amendatory thereto.

It is true that, in a majority of cases, property owners, upon notification, have constructed the work under private contract, as is their privilege to so do; but, in a number of instances, the portions constructed have been widely separated and little, if any, benefit has resulted from the passage of the ordinance.

In a number of instances, where ordinances have been passed requiring the property owner to construct the walk to the permanent grade, it will be necessary for the Department of Public Works to grade the roadway of the street, so as to prevent the sidewalk itself from becoming a gutter.

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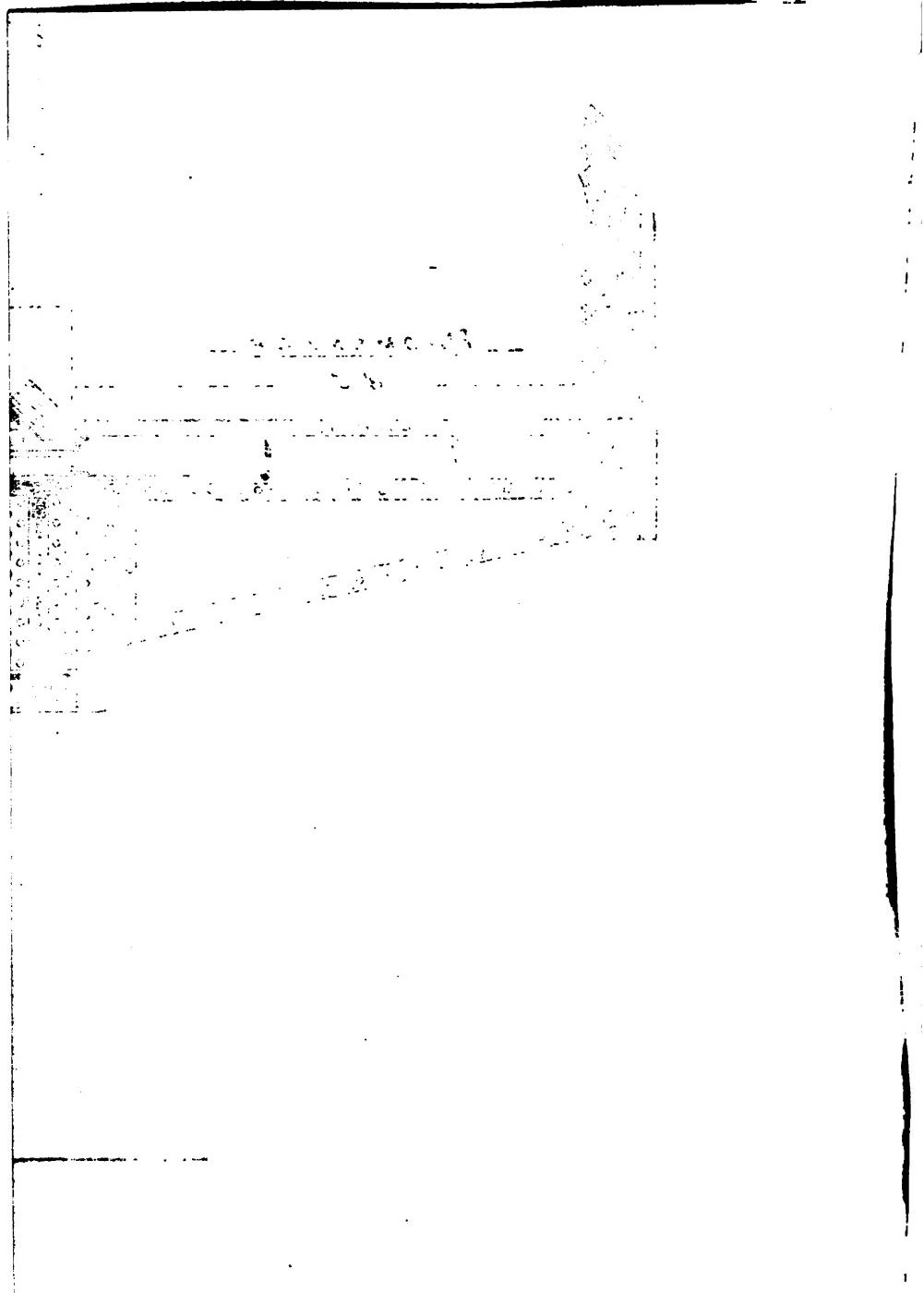
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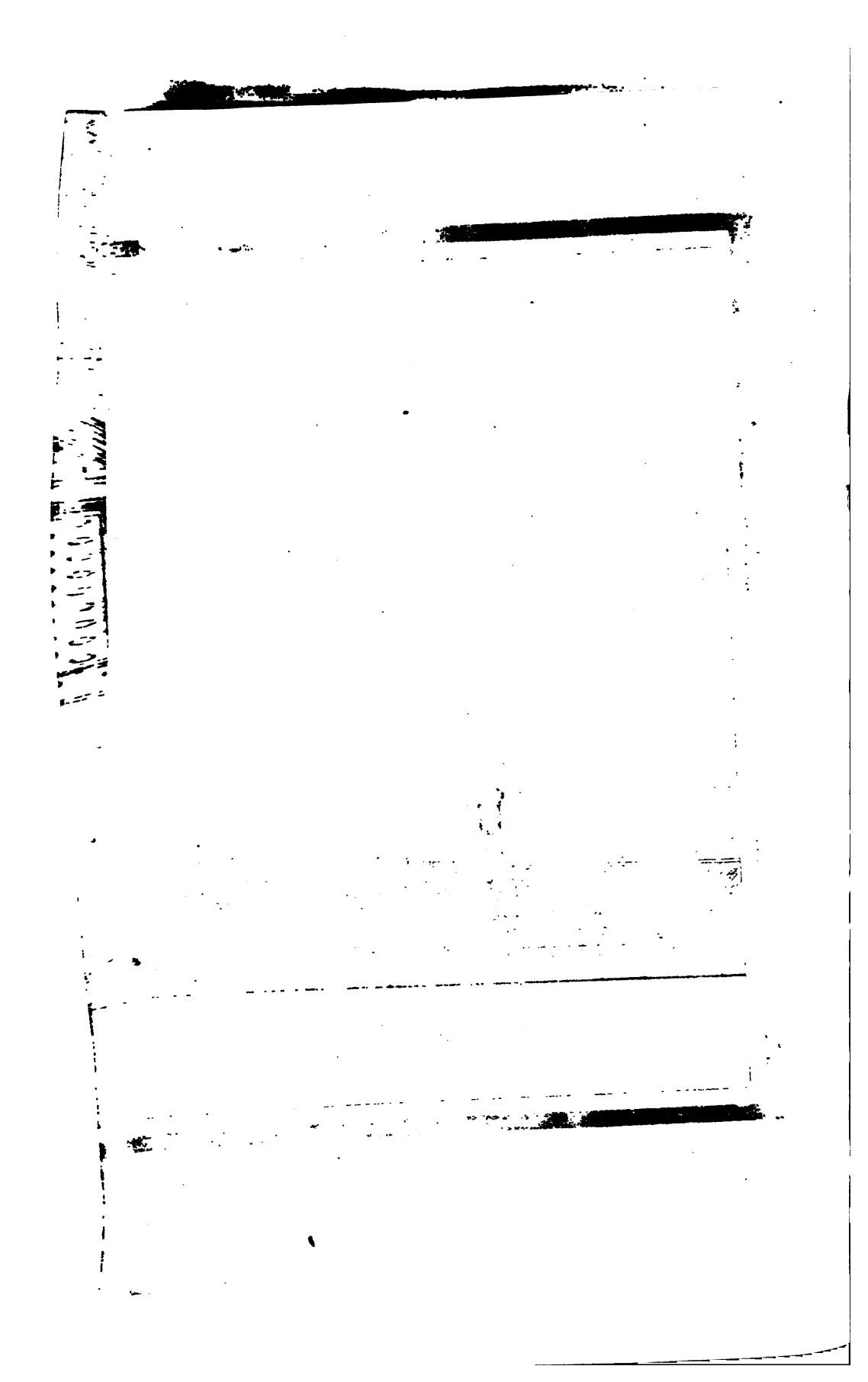
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Curbing Set During the Year 1904.

The following is a statement of the curbing set on various streets and avenues within the city limits during the past year. The total amount of curb set was 22,451.3 lineal feet, of which 12,005.4 lineal feet was new curb and 10,445.9 lineal feet was old curb taken from streets which were improved and on which new curb was substituted.

Street or Avenue	Location	Side	Length
Alfred	Antoinette to South.....	West.....	111.7
Ann	Louisa to Sumner.....	South	137.3
Ann	Olive, East.....	North	73.4
Antoinette	Alfred, West	South	119.6
Atlantic	Kansas, South.....	West	45.2
Bigelow	Richmond to Nebraska.....	East	443.1
Blaine	Adams to Oakland.....	Southwest..	155.3
Blaine	Butler, South to Alley.....	West	130.5
Blaine	Starr to Garden	West	628.0
Bridge.....	Washington to Commercial.....	Northeast ..	170.0
Bridge.....	Washington to Commercial.....	Southwest ..	178.0
Bryan	Madison to Monroe.....	Northeast ..	375.0
Bryan	Madison to Monroe.....	Southwest ..	381.0
Butler	Blaine, West	South	54.0
Butler	Pope to Webster.....	South	310.0
California	Illinois to Pennsylvania	East	162.0
California	Illinois to Pennsylvania	West	331.8
Caroline	Adams to Washington	Northeast ..	253.3
Caroline	Adams to Washington	Southwest ..	192.0
Center	Olive to Chicago	North	297.0
Easton	Adams to Hayes	East	440.7
Easton	Adams to Hayes	West	640.6
Elliott	Fourth to Seventh.....	East	884.7
Elliott	Fourth to Seventh.....	West	886.8
First.....	Webster, West	North	224.9
Franklin.....	Second, South	West	125.0
Gallatin	Cedar to Lincoln	North	475.0
Garden	Hecox to Western	South	127.4
Goodwin	Seventh to Hillyer	East	289.0
Goodwin	Seventh to Hillyer	West	144.7
Hecox	Adams to Washington	Southwest ..	361.0
Hecox	Garden to Starr	Southwest ..	115.0
Hickory	Antoinette to Garden	East	616.8
Hillyer	Goodwin to Shipman	South	615.6
Irving	Washington to Water	East	307.5
Isaac	Fowler, West	North	250.2
Isaac	Fowler, West	South	152.1
Jackson	Madison to Jefferson	Northeast ..	363.2
Jackson	Madison to Jefferson	Southwest ..	369.4
Jackson	Madison to Monroe	Northeast ..	348.8
Jackson	Madison to Monroe	Southwest ..	173.4
Jefferson	Abington to Van Buren	Northwest ..	763.5

Curbing Set During the Year 1904—Continued.

Street or Avenue	Location	Side	Length
Jefferson	Van Buren to Camblin.....	Northwest..	351.6
Kansas	Atlantic, West.....	South	65.0
Kettelle	Warren to Blaine.....	South	421.0
Lincoln Place	Lincoln Ave., South.....	West	121.0
Lincoln	Shelley, East.....	North	69.0
Linn.....	Arcadia to McClure	West	149.0
Linn.....	Arcadia to Republic	West	317.0
Linn.....	Richmond to Nebraska.....	East	494.7
Linn.....	Richmond, South	West	195.0
Merriman.....	Smith, North	East	12.0
Merriman.....	Smith to Johnson	East	158.0
Missouri	Illinois to Pennsylvania.....	West	316.0
Nebraska	Dechman to Peoria	North	425.1
Nebraska	Delaware to Maryland	South	207.3
Nebraska	Central to Maryland	South	127.7
Oak	Washington to Depot.....	Southwest..	152.5
Olive	Adams to Center	East	227.1
Olive	George to Ann	East	322.0
Persimmon	Reed to Warren	Northeast ..	148.6
Pope	Millman to Howett.....	West	122.5
Russell	Garfield to Frink	South	299.1
Sanger	Adams, South	Southwest..	82.0
Second	Webster, West	South	40.0
Shelley	Howett to Millman	East	312.2
Shelley	Howett to Lincoln	East	235.2
Sixth	Elliott, East	South	648.7
Spencer	Smith, North	East	36.0
Steubenville	McBean to Kettelle.....	East	189.0
St. Giles	Adams to Jefferson	Northeast ..	60.0
Third.....	Charlton to Webster.....	South	342.0
Warren	Howett to Lincoln	West	281.5
Warren	Millman to Butler	West	155.0
Warren	Millman to Howett	West	290.5
Washington	Irving to Green	South	142.5
Webster	Fist to Second	West	331.1
Western	Fredonia, South	East	176.1
Widenham.....	Allen to Warren	North	600.0
Widenham.....	Allen to Steubenville	North	644.8
Total length in feet.....			22,451.3
Total length in miles.....			4.25

The total amount set in the various Wards and the percentage of same is as follows;

First Ward	1620.4	lineal feet	7.22%
Second Ward....	1680.8	" "	7.49%
Third Ward	2868.2	" "	12.75%
Fourth Ward.....	1174.3	" "	5.28%
Fifth Ward	4452.8	" "	19.88%
Sixth Ward.....	5227.8	" "	23.29%
Seventh Ward.....	1702.2	" "	7.58%
Eighth Ward.....	3729.8	" "	16.61%
Total.....	<u>22451.3</u>	" "	<u>100.00%</u>

Sewers.

After a number of years of delay, the contract for the construction of the North Peoria Sewer, East Section, was executed, the contractors being Messrs. Harding & Nelson, of Racine, Wisconsin.

Owing to the length of time intervening between the preparation of the estimate and the execution of the contract, and also owing to the fact that the assessment on various tracts of land, as returned by the Superintendent of Special Assessments, was reduced by order of the County Court and no provision was made for the insertion of this reduction in the original total, it was impossible to secure a price within the estimate of the Engineer, and this will necessitate a supplementary assessment being levied for the excess of cost above the assessment as confirmed by the Court.

This improvement consists of 7,460 lineal feet of brick sewers, ranging in size from 48-inch circular to 22x38-inch egg-shaped sewer, and 31,500 feet of pipe sewer, ranging in size from 24-inch to 8-inch. The bid prices for the construction were as folfows:

6,897 lineal feet 8-inch pipe sewer at	\$.65 per lineal foot
7,370 lineal feet 12-inch pipe sewer at .....	.90 per lineal foot
7,580 lineal feet 15-inch pipe sewer at	1.15 per lineal foot
8,045 lineal feet 18-inch pipe sewer at	1.40 per lineal foot
2,640 lineal feet 20-inch pipe sewer at	2.00 per lineal foot
4,010 lineal feet 24-inch pipe sewer at	2.90 per lineal foot
700 lineal feet 22x38-inch brick sewer at.....	2.80 per lineal foot
395 lineal feet 24x36-inch brick sewer at.....	2.75 per lineal foot
370 lineal feet 26x39-inch brick sewer at.....	3.20 per lineal foot

1,105 lineal feet 28x42-inch brick sewer at.....	\$ 8.25 per lineal foot
890 lineal feet 30x45-inch brick sewer at.....	4.10 per lineal foot
765 lineal feet 32x48-inch brick sewer at.....	4.60 per lineal foot
705 lineal feet 34x51-inch brick sewer at.....	5.25 per lineal foot
720 lineal feet 36x54-inch brick sewer at.....	5.00 per lineal foot
1,810 lineal feet 40-inch brick sewer at.....	5.85 per lineal foot
23 manholes, over brick sewers, complete, each..	34.00
76 manholes, over pipe sewers, complete, each..	34.00
20 flush manholes, complete, each.....	45.00
281 catch basins and connections, complete, each.	48.00

The present storm water sewer on Spring street serves as an outlet for this section. Considerable work has already been performed upon the contract, and the entire construction should be completed by the first of August, 1905 — the contract price for said sewer being \$87,969.

The Board of Local Improvements has requested the Engineer's Department to prepare plans for what will be known as the South Street Sewer System, the Sanger Street System, and Sewer District No. 1, which plans are now under way.

In the construction of Sewer District No. 1, there is considerable territory in what is now the Village of Averyville, which should be included within this system, the natural outlet of which is a creek, which now extends along Grant Street. The outlet for this sewer would be a very expensive one, and, in my judgment, the construction of the sewer should be delayed somewhat until the whole territory could be sewerized. The bridge or culvert which now exists at Adams Street is in a bad condition, and a new one should be substituted which will form a part of the general outlet for this sewer system.

In order to take care of the condition which formerly existed in the neighborhood of Swinnerton, State and Globe Streets, an extension was constructed from the old Goose Lake Sewer, which terminated at the west property line of State and Swinnerton Streets, down State Street to Globe Street, thence northeasterly on Globe Street to Sanford Street. This sewer was completed out of the general appropriation by Charles W. O'Neill, of this city, at a total

cost of \$1,255.94. Eight catch basins were constructed on this improvement, and no trouble has resulted since the completion of the same.

A 20-inch pipe sewer was extended north on Goodwin Street to the alley to drain a low spot, which has formerly given considerable trouble. This pipe connects at Seventh Avenue with the old Goose Lake sewer.

The 24-inch pipe sewer which terminated at Krause Avenue was extended one block west to Livingston Street. This work was done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works. At this point a private sewer was constructed by the Home of the Good Shepherd, north on Livingston Street to Starr Street, thence east on Starr Street to the premises of the Home.

Pavements.

Table No. 1, accompanying this report, gives a detailed statement of the amount, location and character of the pavements constructed during the past year, of which the following is a summary:

	Square Yards	Miles	Miles 30 feet wide
Special assessment	46,423	2.49	2.64
Private contract.....	924	0.06	0.05
Central Railway Co	1,508	0.09	0.09

The matter of the improvement of Chambers avenue, between North Street and Flora Avenue, is still before the County Court. In all probability the street will not be narrowed and the improvement be made as originally contemplated.

The total number of square yards of pavement of the various classes is shown in the table below:

CLASS OF PAVEMENT	Total Square Yards	Length in Miles	Length in Miles 30 feet wide
Brick	672,842	32.78	38.23
Asphalt	249,883	12.61	14.20
Novaculite	17,264	0.97	0.98
Cobblestone	11,772	0.60	0.67
Stone Block	10,896	0.54	0.62
Total	962,657	47.50	54.70

The following table shows the amount, character and year of pavements laid upon the streets and alleys, not including that laid in the right-of-way of the street railway company.

Year	Brick	Asphalt	Novaculite	Cobble Stone	Stone Block	Total Square Yards	Miles	Length
	Square Yards	Square Yards	Length	Square Yards	Length	Square Yards	Miles	Miles 30 feet wide
1885	7,294	914	.....	.....	.....	7,294	0.17	0.41
1886	8,114	1,941	.....	.....	.....	8,114	0.00	0.00
1887 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,350	0.87	0.45
1888	11,850	3,072	.....	.....	.....	93,119	0.00	0.00
1889	93,119	19,632	.....	.....	.....	56,132	0.58	0.64
1890	43,655	8,105	12,477	3,624	.....	70,086	3.71	5.29
1891	47,888	9,750	22,198	6,704	.....	6,745	2.22	3.19
1892	6,745	2,432	.....	.....	.....	107,869	3.13	3.98
1893	79,783	19,648	28,086	6,843	.....	104,479	0.46	0.38
1894	74,128	21,779	30,851	6,828	.....	129,791	5.02	6.13
1895	76,705	19,253	53,086	12,226	11,772	2,845	5.42	5.93
1896 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,668	5.86	7.38
Previous to 1896 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,347	1.15	1.29
1897 .....	.....	.....	13,347	3,868	.....	.....	0.74	0.76
1898 (No paving)	40,255	10,781	14,873	4,270	.....	54,628	0.00	0.00
1899	22,072	6,787	5,086	1,580	5,525	32,693	2.85	3.10
1900	21,610	9,296	2,986	933	1,700	36,235	1.90	1.86
1901	65,293	18,431	61,286	17,719	3,420	126,499	2.58	2.06
1902	27,544	7,795	6,727	2,025	.....	84,271	6.85	7.19
1903	47,347	13,488	.....	.....	.....	47,347	1.84	1.97
1904 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.55	2.69
Total	672,842	178,104	249,983	66,610	17,284	5,120	11,772	3,246
						2,845	962,657	47.50

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BRICK PAVEMENTS CONSTRUCTED IN 1904

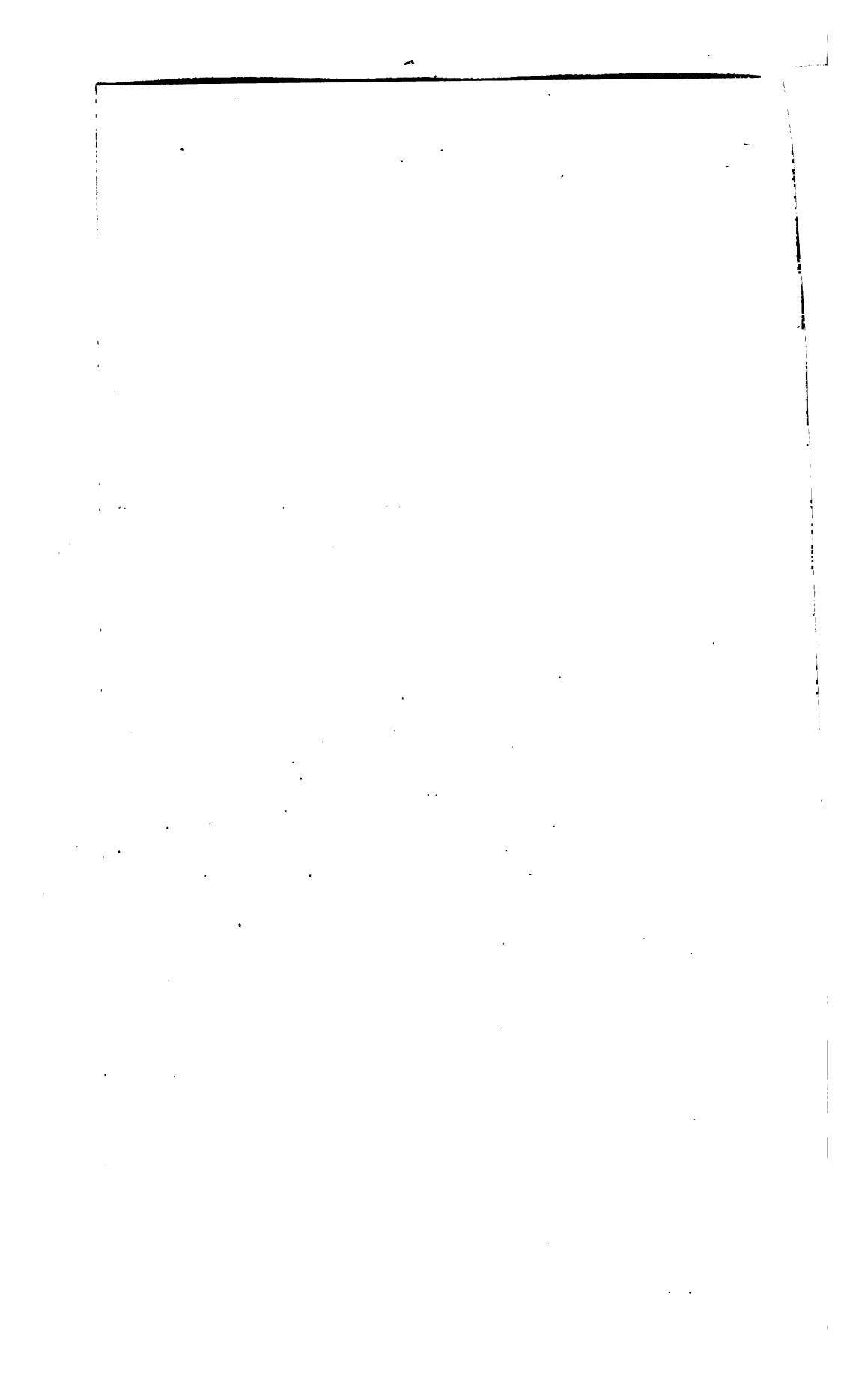


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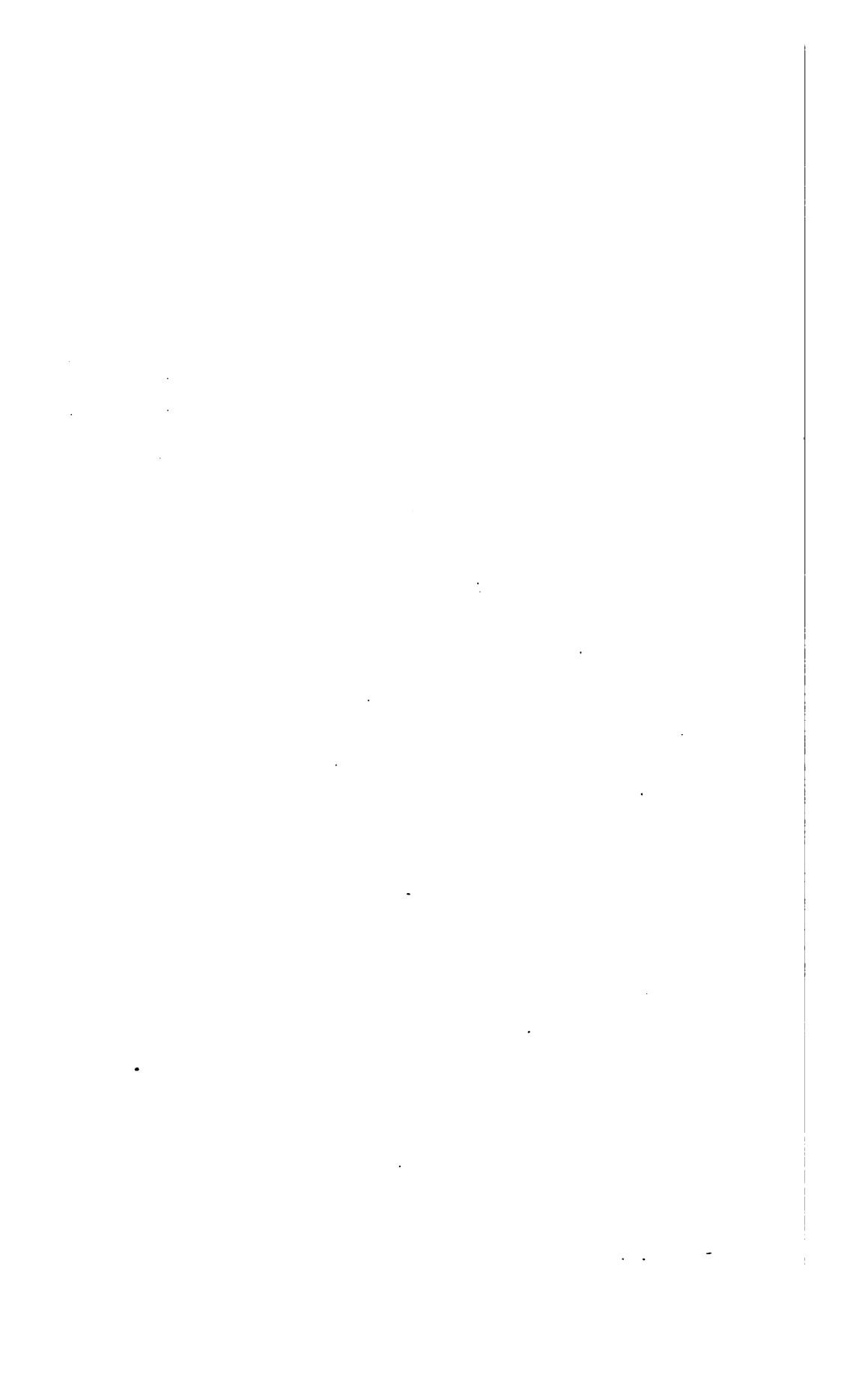


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Asphalt Pavements.

The total number of yards of asphalt in the City of Peoria at the present time is 249,883. This represents an expenditure of \$700,000. An asphalt pavement is a very desirable one; but, at the same time, is an expensive one, both as to first cost and the cost of maintenance. The present condition of the asphalt pavements which have been constructed in this city is not one which the city can be proud of.

This condition may have been the result of two causes: First—The probability of the use of poor material in the construction. Second—The lack of proper attention and repairs. As regards the first element, will state that the City of Peoria has no apparatus by which the materials may be analyzed and the quality thereof ascertained. The reports of this department of previous years have called the attention of your Honorable Body to this condition of affairs, but nothing has ever been done to remedy the same.

An asphalt pavement is one which should be given constant attention and frequent examination. The slightest defect or imperfection should be remedied at once, and this can only be done by the city having a repair plant of sufficient size and equipment to do this work and not being compelled to rely upon some outside company to make these repairs at such time as they may have a contract for the construction of an asphalt pavement in this city. We require now a guarantee of ten years from the company constructing the improvement, which adds considerable to the first cost.

If this department possessed the necessary apparatus for the testing and determination of the quality of the material used, the question of guarantee could be eliminated, as is done in the case of our brick paving, and the property owners would secure a more satisfactory and better improvement at a considerable less cost.

There are a number of cities throughout the country which have, in the past few years, established a laboratory for the testing of their asphalt material, in connection with their Engineering Department, and also purchased the necessary material and apparatus for a repair plant to be used in connection with the Department of Public Works. The cost and extent of the equipment necessary for this work can be judged by a comparison with the condition existing in the cities referred to above.

It has been the custom of the City of Peoria, with one or two exceptions, to use, as a filler, common sand in the construction of their brick pavements. This is cheap, but affords no protection to the edges of the brick, and, in the course of a few years, the pavement becomes rough and noisy. The method used a few years ago in cleaning streets—that is to say, the suction sweeper, although a very good one—was extremely detrimental to the brick surface, inasmuch as the suction not only cleaned the surface of the brick but drew from the interstices the sand filler, thereby leaving the edges exposed and unprotected.

The experiment of cleaning the streets by flushing the same with a hose was tried the past summer. That portion of the pavement which was used for the experiment is a very rough one—large brick being used, with a sand filler. The same serious objections present themselves to this method as is stated above—the action of the water removing the sand between the brick and leaving the same unprotected.

The principal complaint of a property owner on residence streets, against the use of brick, is on account of the noise. This can be reduced considerable and practically eliminated by the use of some plastic filler, such as refined asphalt. The use of this material allows the surface to be opened for such repairs or connections as may be needed, from time to time, and permits the use of the brick in repair.

Another filler, which is commonly used, is that of the Portland cement grout. This makes a smooth, hard sur-

face, and is an excellent one, provided no disturbing of the surface will ever take place.

An examination of the brick paving on Hamilton Street, from Randolph Avenue to Glen Oak Avenue, and on Main Street, from North Street to Glen Oak Avenue, will show the benefits which are derived by the use of filler which protects and supports the brick. Inasmuch as these two pavements were laid at the same time, the condition of Hamilton Street is much better than that of Main Street. While this may not be a fair comparison, owing to the fact that the traffic on Main Street is much more severe than that on Hamilton Street, nevertheless an examination of the brick shows no spalling of the edges, and the surface of the brick of the latter street is as smooth as the day it was laid.

When an opening must be made for a connection of any kind, providing the grout filler has been well applied, it will be necessary to break the brick, thereby destroying the value of the old material, and requiring the substitution of new material for the repair.

If a plastic filler be used, experience has shown that an opening may be made, the filler removed from the sides of the brick, remelted and used again for the proper repair without any loss.

It has been the policy of some of the Board of Local Improvements during the past year to seemingly experiment with the various forms of construction. I trust that the results obtained will be satisfactory and not work any hardship on any property owner who has paid for his improvement.

As stated in the report of the year previous similar conditions do not exist throughout the city and it would not be wise to attempt a cheap form of construction in every locality.

It has been the policy of the Board of Local Improvements to call upon the Engineer's Department for numerous estimates for improvements which, at the public hearing, are shown to be uncalled for and not desired by the property

owners. It takes up the same amount of time of the Engineer's Department to secure the preliminary data as it would for the letting of a contract for the same improvement.

During the past year a few improvements contemplated by the Board have failed of confirmation in the county court, due to technicalities of various kinds, among which it has been said that the defect existed in the estimate of the Engineer. Inasmuch as the Engineer is not the legal authority of the Board and must secure his interpretation of the improvement act from the proper authorities, it is not proper that this criticism be made a personal one. A review of the decisions of the Supreme Court with reference to the estimate of the Engineer in improvement ordinances will show considerable variance and the latest one quoted will plainly show that the estimate of the Engineer as it has been prepared in the past has been substantially correct in all cases.

River Records.

The following is taken from the records of the gauge reading at the lower free bridge and shows the high and low water marks since 1895:

YEAR	HIGH WATER		LOW WATER	
	Date	Gauge	Date	Gauge
1895..	December 29	14.9	June 21 to 25.....	3.1
1896..	January 1	14.3	June 16 to 19	3.6
1897..	March 24 to 28.....	18.3	Sept. 29 to Oct. 15	3.7
1898..	March 31.....	19.3	July 24	3.5
1899..	March 22	15.1	Aug. 22-24 and 27-29	3.4
1900..	March 16 and 17.....	19.9	January 9	4.9
			September 25	5.3
1901..	March 31.....	17.7	July 26 to 28	5.5
1902..	July 22.....	21.0	January 22 to 27	6.8
1903..	March 12 and 13.....	19.3	August 25	8.4
1904..	March 28	23.15	September 16 to 17.....	7.1

The high water of March 28th, 1904, is the highest point reached in the last 50 years, the same being 1.25 feet above that of May 1892.

All the readings are referred to the zero of the gauge, the same being at an elevation of 22.55 above the datum plane which is used as a base for all levels throughout the city. This datum plane referred to the levels for the survey of the Illinois and Desplaines River, is at an elevation of 413.360. The Memphis datum plane being used as a base for the levels of the above survey. High water, March 28th, gauge reading 23.15 or 45.7 city datum. Low water, September 16 and 17, gauge reading 21.10 or 29.65 city datum.

The following table shows the daily readings of the gauge at the Lower Free Bridge for the year 1904.

Day of Month	GAUGE READING											
	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	August	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	10.0	15.8	14.0	22.3	16.2	11.6	8.0	8.4	8.1	9.6	8.0	7.7
2	10.1	15.6	14.3	22.1	16.1	11.5	8.0	8.4	7.9	9.7	7.9	7.7
3	10.2	15.6	14.9	22.1	15.9	11.5	7.8	8.3	8.0	9.7	7.9	7.7
4	10.2	15.4	15.7	21.9	15.6	11.6	7.7	8.2	7.9	9.6	7.9	7.6
5	10.2	15.2	16.4	21.6	15.3	11.7	7.8	8.2	7.9	9.6	8.0	7.6
6	10.2	15.2	17.0	21.4	15.0	11.8	8.0	8.1	7.8	9.5	7.9	7.6
7	10.2	15.4	17.3	21.0	14.9	11.8	8.0	8.0	7.7	9.3	7.8	7.7
8	10.1	15.6	17.5	20.4	14.6	11.8	8.0	8.0	7.7	9.3	7.7	7.7
9	10.1	15.9	17.8	20.4	14.5	11.7	8.0	7.8	7.6	9.1	7.8	7.7
10	10.1	16.3	18.2	20.1	14.3	11.5	8.1	7.8	7.5	9.2	7.9	7.9
11	10.1	16.5	18.5	19.8	14.2	11.3	8.1	7.7	7.5	9.2	7.9	7.8
12	10.1	16.6	18.5	19.7	13.9	11.1	8.3	7.6	7.4	9.0	7.8	7.8
13	10.1	16.5	18.5	19.4	14.0	10.9	8.4	7.5	7.3	9.0	7.9	7.8
14	10.2	16.4	18.3	19.0	13.9	10.7	8.4	7.7	7.3	8.9	7.9	7.7
15	10.2	16.2	18.0	18.6	13.8	10.5	8.7	7.6	7.3	8.8	7.8	7.7
16	10.1	16.0	17.7	18.4	13.6	10.3	8.8	7.5	7.1	8.6	7.9	7.7
17	10.0	15.7	17.5	18.0	13.5	10.1	8.7	7.5	7.1	8.6	7.9	7.7
18	10.0	15.5	17.3	17.6	13.3	9.9	8.6	7.5	7.2	8.6	7.9	7.7
19	10.0	15.2	17.1	17.3	13.1	9.7	8.6	7.4	7.4	8.6	7.9	7.8
20	10.0	15.0	17.5	17.0	12.9	9.5	8.5	7.8	7.6	8.4	7.9	7.9
21	11.6	14.8	18.2	16.6	12.8	9.4	8.4	7.7	7.6	8.4	7.9	7.9
22	12.7	14.6	19.3	16.2	12.5	9.3	8.2	8.0	7.6	8.5	7.9	7.9
23	13.3	14.4	20.2	15.9	12.4	9.2	8.2	8.2	7.6	8.5	7.8	8.0
24	14.1	14.2	20.9	15.7	12.4	8.8	8.0	8.3	7.5	8.2	8.0	8.0
25	14.9	14.0	21.6	15.4	12.0	8.8	7.9	8.3	7.8	8.3	7.9	8.2
26	15.7	18.8	22.0	16.0	12.1	8.6	8.4	8.4	8.5	8.2	7.9	8.2
27	16.1	13.6	22.7	15.9	12.0	8.4	7.8	8.4	9.1	8.3	7.9	8.3
28	16.2	13.5	23.1	16.0	11.8	8.4	7.8	8.3	9.4	8.1	7.9	8.5
29	16.3	13.8	23.0	16.2	11.6	8.1	7.7	8.3	9.4	8.1	7.8	8.7
30	16.3	.....	22.8	16.3	11.7	8.1	7.6	8.3	9.6	8.1	7.8	8.7
31	16.2	.....	22.6	....	11.7	....	7.6	8.2	....	8.0	....	8.7

Testing Laboratory.

Table No. 2 gives the results of the testing of paving brick submitted for use in the various improvements during the past year.

Table No. 3 gives the reports of the testing of Natural and Portland cements from samples collected from materials used throughout the city in municipal work.

Field Work.

The following amount of field work was performed during the past year:

Cross sections for pavements	4.86	miles
Transit lines for pavements	9.07	"
Grades given on paved streets.....	6.88	"
Grades given on unpaved streets	9.08	"
Transit lines on unpaved streets.....	15.40	"
Cross sections for sidewalks,.....	7.58	"
Grades given for sidewalks	8.50	"
Transit lines for sewers.....	1.70	"
Grades for sewers.....	1.21	"
Check levels.....	13.47	"
Cross sections for establishing grades.....	18.52	"
Total.....	90.27	"

Conclusion.

I desire again to call the attention of your Honorable Body to the needs of this office for a desirable blue-printing apparatus. As it is now, we must rely on sunlight to do this work, which causes considerable delay at times. If need be, the revenue derived from the use of a proper machine during the year, for commercial printing, would possibly equal the expenditure. With this one respect, the mechanical equipment of the office is all that can be desired.

Better results in the operation of this department could be secured if the large main office could be partitioned off, so as to provide a computing room. This, I think, could be done at a small expense.

It has been the custom in the past for the Engineer's Department to have a set of books for the Department of Public Works; but, inasmuch as this set is necessarily a duplicate of that required by the Comptroller, would suggest that, in the future, the services of a book-keeper be changed to that of an engineer and draughtsman for this work. The extent of work, which is yearly increasing, makes it absolutely necessary that an additional office man be secured, one who may, when called upon, be placed in charge of an additional field party, which is needed during the summer months. The work contemplated during the present year will make this a necessity.

The amount of office work, that is, in the way of records, is constantly increasing and for the benefit of the public, it should be brought to date as soon as possible. This can be accomplished by the extra man as mentioned above.

The expense of the operations of this department as shown by the Comptroller's Department are:

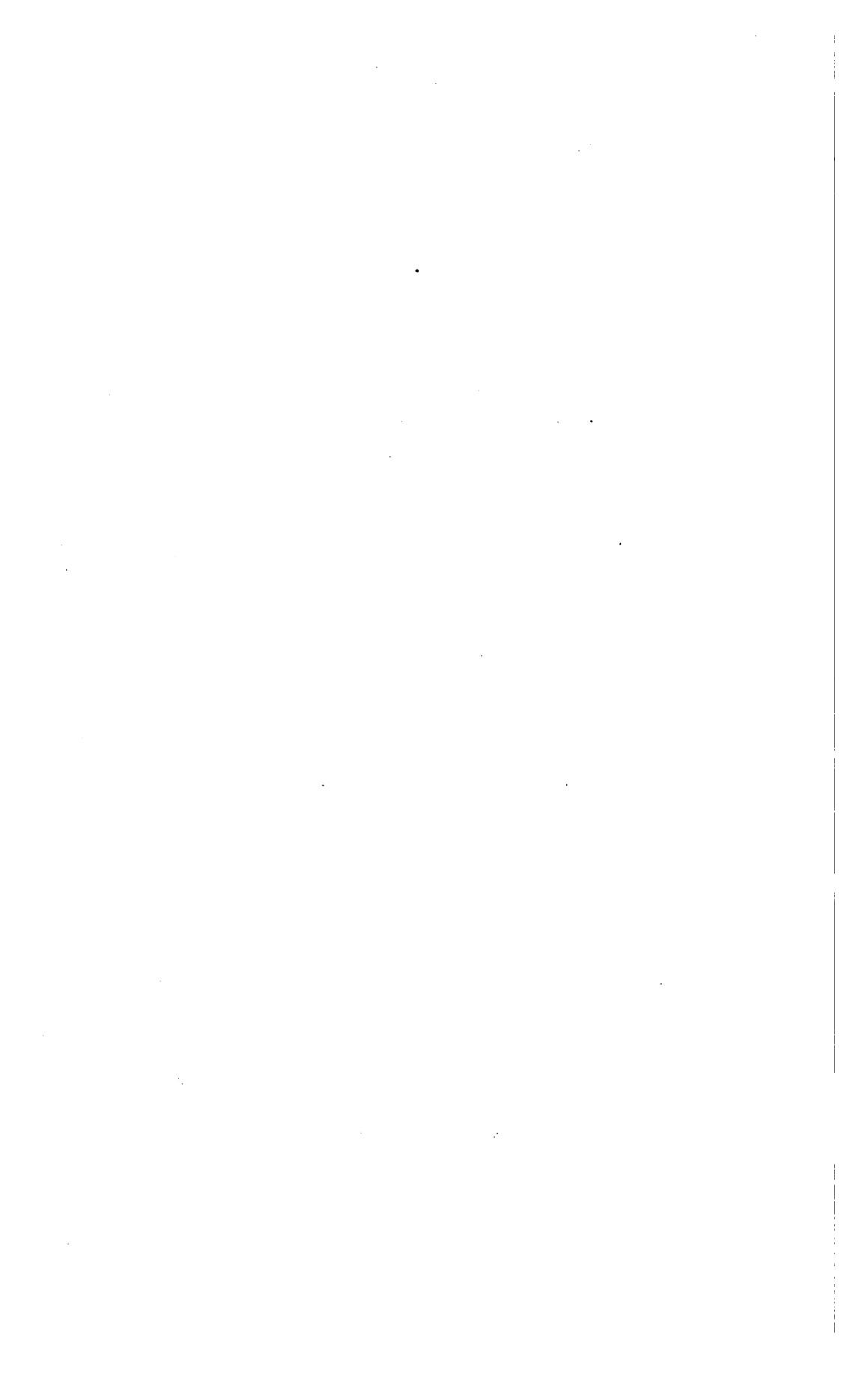
Pay roll	\$8,516.90
Miscellaneous expenses	1,315.51
Total	\$9,832.41

If more care were taken in the proper placing of the items of miscellaneous expenses, the expense account charged against this department would have been considerable less.

I desire to thank his Honor, the Mayor, and Aldermen and various committees with whom this department has been brought in contact with for the courteous treatment received; my colleagues of the Board of Local Improvements for the consideration and suggestions which have from time to time been received from them for the solution of the many problems which naturally arise in connection with municipal affairs and the members of the office force for the interest which they have taken in the performance of the duties connected with this department.

Yours respectfully,

H. E. BEASLEY,
City Engineer.



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